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URGENT 10-16-58 12-04 PM XXXXX AM EST FL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFO

CONCERNING. STATEMENT SETTING FORTH THE RESULTS OF POLYGRAPH

EXAMINATION OF GEORGE BRIGHT PERSONALLY DELIVERED TO
CHIEF OF POLICE HERBERT T. JENKINS BY SAC SEVEN FIFTEEN PM.

COPIES OF STATEMENT BEING FORWARDED TO BUREAU AMSD.

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URGENT 10-16-58 11-55PM EST JFB

TO DIRECTOR FBI AND SACS ATLANTA, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM SAC RICHMOND 2P

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
Unknown subjects
~~UNSUBS~~, BOMBING OF TEMPLE, PEACHTREE ROAD, NW., ATLANTA, GA., TEN
TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFO CONCERNING. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] APPEARED ALEXANDRIA, VA., *Resident Agency* RA

THIS DATE AND STATED HE WAS THERE DUE TO AN ARTICLE APPEARING IN
NORTHERN VIRGINIA SUN, ARLINGTON, VA., NEWSPAPER, THIS DATE, WHEREIN
HE WAS IDENTIFIED AS THE ~~QUOTE~~ [REDACTED] ~~END QUOTE~~ REFERRED TO BY G.
LINCOLN ROCKWELL IN A LETTER TO WALLACE ALLEN, ATLANTA, GA. HE
DESIRED TO FURNISH INFORMATION CONCERNING HIS ASSOCIATION WITH ROCKWELL
AND ALLEN. CLAIMS TO HAVE CONDUCTED RESEARCH DURING LAST TWO YEARS
RE ~~QUOTE~~ "JEWISH INFLUENCES" ~~END QUOTE~~ ON AMERICAN LIFE. IN PROLONGED
DISCOURSE HE CONTINUALLY DECLARED ANTI SEMITIC BELIEFS, BUT DENIED
ADVOCATING VIOLENCE OR ANY ILLEGAL ACTIVITY. CLAIMS HE MET ROCKWELL
IN APRIL NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT AND SUBSEQUENTLY PURCHASED HOUSE IN WHICH
ROCKWELL LIVES AND PRINTING EQUIPMENT LOCATED THERE IN ORDER TO USE
HIM AS A PRIVATE PRINTER. STATES HIS FRIENDLY RELATIONSHIP WITH
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ROCKWELL ENDED DURING AUGUST FIFTYEIGHT AND SINCE THAT TIME HE HAS ATTEMPTED TO REGAIN POSSESSION OF HIS PROPERTY. CLAIMS HE MET ALLEN IN WASHINGTON D. C. AFTER ALLEN WAS ARRESTED IN JULY FIFTYEIGHT IN ATLANTA, GA. FOR ~~QUOTE~~ PICKETING ~~END QUOTE~~ AND HAS FURNISHED FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS TOWARD THE DEFENSE OF ALLEN AND OTHERS WHO WERE ARRESTED. [REDACTED] CLAIMS HE FINANCED TRIP OF NEW YORKERS WHO PICKETED WHITE HOUSE IN JULY NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT. HE DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF VIOLENCE, PLANNED OR ENGAGED IN BY ANY GROUP OR INDIVIDUAL. STATES HE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF INSTANT BOMBING AND WAS AT HOME AT TIME OF BOMBING. HE CONTINUALLY EMPHASIZED THAT HIS MAJOR INTEREST IS IN REVEALING TO THE WORLD HIS BELIEF THAT WORLD WAR ONE WAS A RESULT OF AN INTERNATIONAL JEWISH CONSPIRACY. ADVISED HE WAS RETURNING HOME TONIGHT IF FUTURE CONTACT WAS DESIRED. REPORT TO FOLLOW.

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URGENT 10-16-58 6-00 PM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION

CONCERNING. CONFIRMING MY TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH THE
BUREAU, CAPT. [REDACTED] ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT,

ADVISED ME THAT HE AND SUPT. [REDACTED] ATLANTA POLICE

DEPARTMENT, DISCUSSED FULLY ALL FACETS OF THIS CASE WITH
ASSISTANT SOLICITOR GENERAL [REDACTED] THIS AFTERNOON

AND COPELAND FEELS THAT THEY HAVE SUFFICIENT INFORMATION ~~TO~~ TO
OBTAIN INDICTMENTS. CASE WILL BE PRESENTED BEFORE FULTON

COUNTY GRAND JURY TEN AM TOMORROW. ONLY WITNESSES WHO WILL
APPEAR BEFORE GRAND JURY ARE SGT. [REDACTED] ATLANTA

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CAPT. [REDACTED] ATLANTA PD

[REDACTED]
CAPT. [REDACTED]
ADVISES THAT INDICTMENTS WILL BE SOUGHT FOR [REDACTED]

ROBERT BOWLING, WALLACE ALLEN, [REDACTED]

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AND GEORGE BRIGHT. THEY DECIDED THEY DID NOT HAVE
SUFFICIENT INFORMATION TO JUSTIFY SEEKING INDICTMENT.
ON [REDACTED] CAPT. [REDACTED] INFORMED ME THAT
ASSISTANT SOLICITOR GENERAL [REDACTED] WILL PUSH STRONGLY
FOR AN INDICTMENT.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
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URGENT 10-16-58 2-17 AM EST FL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, LOUISVILLE

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

Unknown Subjects Jewish
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, TEN TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFO

CONCERNING. ON TEN FIFTEEN, FIFTYEIGHT CAPTAIN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ATLANTA PD ADVISED THAT A ONE NINE FIVE FOUR BLUE AND
CREAM COLORED BUICK, TWO DOOR SEDAN, GA. LICENSE [REDACTED]

PROPERTY OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ATLANTA, GA., WAS STOLEN IN ATLANTA, GA. BETWEEN
TEN P. M., OCTOBER ONE ONE LAST AND EIGHT A. M. OCTOBER TWELVE,

LAST. ATLANTA PD ADVISED THIS CAR RECOVERED AT HARLAN, KY.

IN POSSESSION OF [REDACTED] ONLY DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE.

ABOVE THEFT OCCURRED DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF INSTANT

BOMBING WHICH INVESTIGATION REVEALS OCCURRED ABOUT THREE FORTY

A. M., OCT. TWELVE, LAST. LOUISVILLE EXPEDITE INTERVIEW OF

[REDACTED] FOR INFORMATION REGARDING WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT
PERIOD AND POSSIBLE IMPLICATION IN THIS CASE. LOUISVILLE ALSO

HANDLE, IF NOT ALREADY DONE, AS NEW ITSMV CASE AS SEPARATE

CASE BEING OPENED IN THE ATLANTA DIVISION. EX-135

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URGENT 10-16-58 8-02 PM ATS

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS, CHARLOTTE AND ATLANTA

FROM SAC, LOS ANGELES 3P

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT,

INFORMATION CONCERNING. REFERENCE LOS ANGELES TEL OCTOBER
FIFTEEN LAST. [REDACTED] LOCATED AT [REDACTED]

ONE TWENTYFIVE PM

THIS DATE. [REDACTED] AND COMPANION OF TRIP FROM CHARLOTTE, NC,

VOLUNTARILY ACCOMPANIED AGENTS

TO LOS ANGELES OFFICE AND EXECUTED SEPARATE SIGNED STATEMENTS
DENYING ANY KNOWLEDGE OF OR PARTICIPATION IN DYNAMITING OF
JEWISH TEMPLE IN ATLANTA. [REDACTED] STATED HE TRANSPORTED NO
EXPLOSIVES ON TRIP TO CALIFORNIA. STATES [REDACTED] ANSWERED
[REDACTED] AD IN CHARLOTTE OBSERVER TO SHARE EXPENSES ON TRIP
TO CALIFORNIA AND THEY HAD NOT MET PREVIOUSLY. A SECOND
PASSENGER, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FAILED TO ACCOMPANY [REDACTED]

CORR LINE 7 WD 3 IS [REDACTED] LXXX WD 8 IESXXX IS EAST

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[] STATES LEFT CHARLOTTE EIGHT THIRTY AM, OCTOBER TEN LAST, DROVE TO ROCK HILL, SOUTH CAROLINA, WAITED SIX HOURS FOR SECOND PASSENGER WHO FAILED TO APPEAR. LEFT ROCK HILL FOUR PM, ON OCTOBER TEN AND DROVE DIRECTLY TO ATLANTA, ARRIVING TEN THIRTY PM SAME DATE. PARKED TRUCK IN SUNKEN PARKING LOT RIGHT BEHIND YMCA IN ATLANTA AND BOTH SLEPT IN TRUCK WHICH IS OUTFITTED WITH DOUBLE BUNKS. STATES AWAKENED SEVEN AM OCTOBER ELEVEN LAST BY NEGRO PARKING ATTENDANT AND LEFT PARKING LOT SEVEN THIRTY AM AND DROVE DIRECTLY TO BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, ON HIGHWAY SEVENTYEIGHT. WHILE IN ATLANTA DID NOT MEET OR SPEAK WITH ANYONE. STATES NEGRO ATTENDANT WOULD RECALL FORTYSIX GREEN AND YELLOW WALKIN PANEL TRUCK. ARRIVED BIRMINGHAM TWELVE NOON OCTOBER ELEVEN LAST AND LEFT ONE THIRTY PM AND DROVE TO TALLULA, ^{LOUISIANA} MISSISSIPPI, WHERE THEY SPENT SECOND NIGHT AT A ROAD-SIDE PARK. CONTINUED TRIP OCTOBER TWELVE LAST AND SPENT THIRD NIGHT PARKED^{ED} OFF HIGHWAY BETWEEN RANGER AND FORTH WORTH, TEXAS. FOURTH NIGHT, OCTOBER THIRTEEN LAST, SPENT NEAR LAS CRUCES, NEW MEXICO, AND FIFTH NIGHT, OCTOBER FOURTEEN LAST, AT YUMA, ARIZONA. [] STATES FIRST KNOWLEDGE OF DYNAMITING OBTAINED FROM YUMA PAPER MORNING OF OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST.

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STATES THEY ATE BREAKFAST AT ROADSIDE RESTAURANTS AND TOOK OTHER MEALS
IN TRUCK AND SLEPT IN TRUCK THROUGHOUT JOURNEY. [] STATES ONE WEEK
BEFORE TRIP HE BURIED NINE OR TEN STICKS OF DYNAMITE ON HIS PROPERTY.
DYNAMITE HAD BEEN PURCHASED SEVERAL YEARS PREVIOUSLY FROM OSMOND L.
BARRINGER MAGAZINE, CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA, AND WAS BADLY DETERIORAT-
ING. A ^{First name unknown} [] RESIDENT OF [] PROPERTY,
ADVISED [] DYNAMITE WAS IN DANGEROUS CONDITION BUT DID NOT WITNESS
BURIAL. [] STATES BURIED DYNAMITE ~~QUOTE~~ JUST UNDER THE GROUND
SEVENTYFIVE TO EIGHTY FEET FROM THE CROSSOVER SPOT OR A GULLY WHICH RUNS
APPROXIMATELY DUE EAST OF MY RESIDENCE ~~UNQUOTE~~. [] EXPRESSED HATRED OF
JEWS BUT STATED HE IS OPPOSED TO VIOLENCE AND CONSIDERS HIMSELF A PROPAGANDIST.
[] AND [] EXECUTED A WRITTEN CONSENT TO SEARCH TRUCK AND
[] EFFECTS CONTAINED ONLY PERSONAL ARTICLES. [] IN ADDITION HAD
CONSIDERABLE ANTI-JEWISH PROPAGANDA MATERIAL AND PAMPHLETS. NO EXPLOSIVES
FOUND. CHARLOTTE CONTACT ^{First name unknown} ENU [] RE [] ACCOUNT OF CONDITION OF
DYNAMITE. ALSO CONTACT []
[] RE [] DESCRIPTION OF TRIP ARRANGEMENTS.
CHARLOTTE ALSO INTERVIEW []

[] REPORT FOLLOWS.

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~~STATES THEY ATE BREAKFAST AT ROADSIDE RESTAURANTS AND TOOK OTHER MEALS~~
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~~ONE WEEK~~

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TO: DIRECTOR AND SACS ATLANTA
BALTIMORE
NEW YORK
RICHMOND

FROM: SAC WFO (62-8011)

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF ^{Jewish} TEMPLE, PEACHTREE ROAD, ATLANTA,
GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING.

REWFOTEL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. LINCOLN ROCKWELL INTERVIEWED
TODAY AND DISCLAIMED KNOWLEDGE OF ANY BOMBING, PARTICULARLY
THOSE IN ATLANTA, CLINTON, OR PEORIA. ROCKWELL ADVISED
HE IS AGAINST VIOLENCE AND THAT HE FOUGHT QUOTE JEWS
UNQUOTE BY PUBLISHING QUOTE TRUTH UNQUOTE. ROCKWELL
DISPLAYED A LETTER HE RECEIVED FROM WALLACE ALLEN LAST
JULY, IN WHICH ALLEN QUESTIONED PROPRIETY OF PICKETING
SYNAGOGUES, AS PROOF THAT ALLEN WOULD NOT BE IMPLICATED
IN TEMPLE BOMBINGS. ROCKWELL SAID HE WOULD USE LETTER
IN ALLENS DEFENSE. LAST TIME ROCKWELL SAW ALLEN WAS
SIX WEEKS AGO IN WDC, AT WHICH TIME PLANS WERE MADE FOR
DEFENSE OF THOSE ARRESTED IN ATLANTA IN CONNECTION WITH THE
JULY ANTI JEWISH DEMONSTRATION. ROCKWELL SAID HE HEARD

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Approved: *[Signature]*

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OF ATLANTA BOMBING FROM [REDACTED]
MORNING OF OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. THE INFORMANT ADVISED

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DURING INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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WITNESSES IF NEEDED. NEW YORK AND BALTIMORE DETERMINE
WHEREABOUTS OF [] AND [] RESPECTIVELY,
DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF ATLANTA BOMBING. COMPLETE
RESULTS OF INTERVIEW FOLLOWS BY AIRTEL.

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Mr. Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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URGENT 10-14-58 2-50 AM EST JEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC-S KNOXVILLE AND WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
FROM SAC, ATLANTA 2P

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT
NINE PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, TEN TWELVE, FIFTY EIGHT.
INFORMATION CONCERNING. RE ^{Knoxville} KX AND ^{Washington Field} WFO TELS OCTOBER THIRTEEN,
LAST. [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED AT ROME, GEORGIA

OCTOBER ONE THREE, LAST. CLAIMS HE ARRIVED AT ROME, GEORGIA
ABOUT ELEVEN P. M. OCTOBER TEN, LAST. ADMITS VISITING RELATIVES
IN ATLANTA, GA. ON EVENING OF OCT. ELEVEN, LAST, BUT RETURNED
TO PARENTS HOME AT ROME, GA. EVENING THAT SAME DATE
OTHER MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD VERIFY [REDACTED] INFORMATION.

[REDACTED] ADVISED HE EXPECTED TO BE INTERVIEWED CONCERNING
INSTANT BOMBING SINCE HE IS ASSOCIATED WITH JOHN CASPER.
HE CLAIMS HE FIRST BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH CASPER IN ONE NINE
FIVE SIX WHEN CASPER FORMER THE WHITE CITIZENS COUNCIL IN
WASHINGTON, D. C. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FOR ABOUT ONE AND ONE HALF YEARS AND CLAIMS HE IS
NO LONGER CONNECTED WITH THIS ORGANIZATION BUT STILL BELIVES
IN ITS AIMS AND IDEALS. FOR INFO KX, [REDACTED]

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CHERRY BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION

[REDACTED] ADVISES HER SON WILL, WITH HIS WIFE [REDACTED] LEAVE
ROME, GA. ABOUT OCTOBER FOURTEEN, NEXT IN THEIR ONE NINE
FIVE TWO PONTIAC. FROM OBSERVATION THIS CAR DESCRIBED AS
FOUR DOOR, BLACK IN COLOR, BEARING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
WILL VISIT HIS UNCLE [REDACTED]

AND THEREAFTER PROCEED TO HIS SISTER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHO RESIDES WITH HER FATHER [REDACTED] WHO RESIDES
IN A RURAL AREA JUST OUTSIDE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND WIFE PLAN TO THEN RETURN TO ROME, GA. WHERE THEY
WILL PROBABLY REMAIN UNTIL OCTOBER NINETEEN, NEXT AT WHICH
TIME THEY WILL RETURN TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

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66: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. Rosen *R*

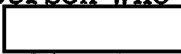
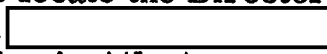
DATE: 10/12/58

FROM : 

HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION

SUBJECT: BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
10/12/58
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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At 1:17 P.M., 10/12/58, a person who identified himself as Assistant Deputy Attorney General  telephonically advised that he was attempting to locate the Director by phone inasmuch as Deputy Attorney General  desired to speak to the Director about the bombing in Atlanta.

At 1:20 P.M. the Director telephonically contacted Supervisor Lewis H. Bunker advising that he had received a call from the President in New York City inquiring about the bombing in Atlanta. Mr. Hoover stated that he was unable to furnish the President with any information and had been unable to contact any Bureau official who could furnish him with any current information with respect thereto. Supervisor Bunker informed the Director of the contents of the call which had been received from SAC Johnson at Atlanta earlier in the morning.

Mr. Hoover stated that it was his understanding that the SAC at Atlanta had made a statement to the press to the effect that this was a matter not within our jurisdiction. The Director stated that this was incorrect and in contradiction to the instructions that he had issued last week in connection with the bombing in Clinton, Tennessee. The Director stated no mention should have been made of our lack of jurisdiction. The Director advised that he was immediately calling the Atlanta Office in order that he could get current information on this matter.

The Director instructed Supervisor Bunker to immediately locate either Assistant Director Belmont, Inspector J. A. Sizoo or Assistant Director Alex Rosen and instruct the first one located to immediately come into the Bureau and take charge of this matter.

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Memorandum for Mr. Rosen
RE: BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE

Mr. Hoover pointed out that he had experienced difficulty in locating all of the afore-mentioned Bureau officials and he wants an explanation on his desk first thing Monday morning explaining why someone did not immediately come to the Bureau to direct the Bureau's activities with respect to this bombing incident.

Supervisor Bunker notified Mr. Hoover of fact that Deputy Attorney General [] was attempting to contact him and Mr. Hoover subsequently contacted Deputy Attorney General [] according to the switchboard operator.

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Assistant Director Rosen was contacted at 1:38 P.M. and advised of the Director's phone call.

RECOMMENDATION:

For your information.

ADDENDUM:

10/12/58

LHB:ap

At 4:12 P.M., upon instructions of Number One Man C. A. Evans, the contents of the United Press International News release respecting this incident was dictated to Stenographer [] at the Atlanta Office.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: October 14, 1958

FROM : A. ROSEN

SUBJECT: HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE STREET
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

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SAC Johnson, Atlanta, called. He advised [redacted] detective, called indicating that a search had been made of the home of Wallace Allen, one of the suspects and nothing of importance was dug up. Working in close cooperation with the Agents it was suggested that a search warrant be obtained on George Bright. He was in custody of the local police and pursuant thereto the Police Department got a search warrant for Bright's residence and searched it. They came up with some handwriting which appears to be significant. It relates to Rabbi Jacob M. Rothschild. In substance the note is addressed to Mr. Rothschild indicating he was relating a glowing account of Judaism; that the people were to have had a most gratifying situation. In substance it goes on to indicate that in a few seconds the Rabbi would have the most terrifying experience in his life. He was going to see red. It further pointed out he had been chosen to be a star performer. The writer went on to say "We are going to have a question and answer period and you are going to star with your answers."

The above information might have reference to the meeting which was held in the Temple Annex on Thursday night, 10-9-58, at which time [redacted] the "Atlanta Constitution" and "Atlanta Journal" was present as a speaker and participated in a forum discussion.

Captain [redacted] told Johnson that the substance of this information has also been made available to the Superintendent of Detectives. I asked Johnson whether the press might be aware of these developments. He said that Captain [redacted] indicated the Superintendent might have released the fact that some pertinent notations had been found.

Johnson is at the Police Department and states he is trying to keep this matter under some control but states this will be most difficult

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as obviously they have already tipped it off. He says he intends to have the pertinent handwriting sent into the Bureau for Laboratory examination. Johnson was instructed to try to immediately set some area aside that would afford some degree of privacy at the Police Department so that they might be able to further interrogate Bright who is in custody of the Police Department. He was advised that he should try to bottle this thing up and keep the cap on it as well as he could. It was recognized that we couldn't be telling the Police Department what to do but if we tried, now that we are interviewing Bright, to get some privacy we would be able to control the action to some extent.

[] NA man, knows about this and when it was indicated to him we ought to keep this thing under our hats he indicated that the Police Department didn't have the freedom from the press as the FBI might have.

[] is on the spot personally following through on this and it may produce results.

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✓ TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, SAVANNAH (62-823)

SUBJECT: UNSUBS; Bombing of the Jewish
Temple, 1589 Peachtree Road, N.W.
Atlanta, Ga., 10/12/58
INFO CONCERNING HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONFRATERNITY
Remytel to Bureau, 10/13/58. ATLANTA, GA.

First word, third line from end should be October
rather than September.

Bureau and interested offices requested to correct.

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Approved: CWB

Special Agent in Charge

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URGENT 10-14-58 302 AM EST JEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, KNOXVILLE

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GA., TEN TWELVE, FIFTY EIGHT.

INFORMATION CONCERNING. RE KNOXVILLE TELETYPE OCTOBER

THIRTEEN, LAST. NOT DESIRED THAT

VISIT ATLANTA ON OCTOBER FIFTEEN, NEXT.

END ACK, PLS

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
ATLANTA, GA.

WA 4-03 AM OK FBI WA ELR

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Mr. Mohr_____
Mr. Nease_____
Mr. Parsons_____
Mr. Rosen_____
Mr. Tamm_____
Mr. Trotter_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan_____
Tele. Room_____
Mr. Holloman_____
Miss Gandy_____
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cc: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Mr. Rosen

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URGENT 9-12-58 1108 PM CDST CKA

~~TO DIRECTOR, FBI, AND SAC, ATLANTA~~

FROM SAC, LOUISVILLE 1P

FROM SAC, LOUISVILLE IF
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
TWELVE LAST. RE BUREAU AND A

STREET, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCT. TWELVE, LAST. RE BUREAU AND ^{AT}
^{Louisville} PRIOR TO NOON TODAY.

STREET, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, ^{LOUISVILLE} PLACED ~~LS~~ PRIOR TO NOON TODAY.
TELS TODAY. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] OBSER

PLACED ^{Louisville} ~~LS~~ FOR ENTIRE WEEKEND. OBSERVED ~~LS~~

PLACED ~~18~~ FOR ENTIRE [REDACTED] PLACED AT HOME ONLY AT
 PRIOR ~~12~~ TO ONE THIRTY PM TODAY. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] AT ABOVE ONLY

TO ONE THIRTY PM TODAY. ON BASIS OF ABOVE, ONLY
SEVEN AM ON ELEVENTH AND FIVE PM TODAY. *Atlanta* 62-105023-8
SHOULD BE

SEVEN AM ON ELEVENTH AND FIVE PM. *Atlanta* 67-113628-47
BE POSITIVELY ELIMINATED. RE AT TEL INDICATES [] SHOULD BE INTER-
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BE POSITIVELY ELIMINATED. EX-102 REC-91
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AND OTHERS NOT POSITIVELY ELIMINATED MAY BE INTERVIEWED DIRECTLY..

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Mr. Rosen

CC-Invest. Div.

October 17, 1958

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TO SAC KNOXVILLE

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

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UNSUBS., BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ^{1 5 8 9} ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, ^{12 58} OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST AND ATLANTA TEL
OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST. KNOXVILLE SUTEL RESULTS OF EFFORTS
TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OCTOBER TWELVE
OF [] AND [] COPY MAILED ATLANTA.

1 - Atlanta (information)

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URGENT 10-17-58 6-11 PM CS

TO SAC, KNOXVILLE

FROM DIRECTOR 1P

UNSUBS., BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST AND ATLANTA TEL
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TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OCTOBER TWELVE
OF [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] COPY MAILED ATLANTA.

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URGENT 10-14-58 4-41PM EST ESC

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, CHICAGO
FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

Bombing of Hebrew Benevolent
Congregation, ATLANTA, GA

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE RD, NW,
ATLANTA, GA., OCT. TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFO. CONCERNING. THE FOLLOWING
QUOTED WU TELEGRAM RECEIVED BY CITY OF ATLANTA MAYOR WILLIAM HARTSFIELD
SEVEN TWENTYFOUR PM OCT. THIRTEEN LAST. QUOTE AA SIX SIX TWO SA FOUR
SIX SEVEN, SLGA ONE NINE TWO PD HINSDALE ILL ONE THREE FIVE TWO FIVE
PMC MAYOR WILLIAM HARTSFIELD CITY HALL NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT OCT
THIRTEEN PM SEVEN TWENTYFOUR ATLA DASH HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA
HA HA HA HA HA HA HA DASH ~~CHRISTIAN PATRIOTS CRUSADE~~ BOX ONE FOUR
SEVEN HINSDALE ILL UNQUOTE. CHICAGO FURNISH INFO. FROM INDICES
RE ABOVE ORGANIZATION, IDENTIFY HOLDER OF PO BOX ONE FOUR SEVEN,
HINSDALE, OBTAIN AND FURNISH BACKGROUND INFORMATION.
ND ACK IN ORDE.

CORR LINE 10 WORD 4 "IDENTIFY"

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Mr. Rosen

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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Mr. Holloman _____
Miss Gandy _____

URGENT 10-16-58 10-47 PM JC

TO DIRECTOR 8 AND SAC-S ATLANTA, BALTIMORE, RICHMOND, WFO
FROM SAC, NEW YORK 3P *HEBREW BENEVOLENT
Congregation, ATLANTA, GA.*
UNSUBS., BOMBING OF TEMPLE, PEACH TREE ROAD, ATLANTA, GA., TEN TWELVE
FIFTYEIGHT, INFO CONCERNING. RE.. WFO TEL TODAY., WFO AIRTELS TO
DIRECTOR SEVEN THIRTY AND EIGHT FIVE LAST WITH CC-S TO ATLANTA,
RICHMOND, ET AL ENTITLED "ANTI-JEWISH DEMONSTRATION IN WASH. DC
SEVEN TWENTY-FIVE - TWENTY-SEVEN FIFTYEIGHT, IS-X" /BUFILE
SIX TWO DASH ONE ZERO ONE ZERO EIGHT SEVEN DASH FOUR NINE/., RICHMOND
AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR, EIGHT SIX LAST ENTITLED "RACIAL SITUATION,
IS-X" /BUFILE SIX TWO DASH ONE ZERO ONE ZERO EIGHT SEVEN DASH FOUR
NINE/., [REDACTED] WAS., ETAL, CHASE MANHATTAN BANK,
RICHMOND HILLS BRANCH, NY,NY. CONSPIRACY-BR /BUFILE NINE ONE DASH
ONE ZERO SEVEN TWO ZERO/. FOR INFO BU AND ALL OFFICES RE WFO
AIRTELS ADVISE [REDACTED] AND OTHER YOUTHS FROM NYC
CONDUCTED ANTI-JEWISH DEMONSTRATION OUTSIDE WHITE HOUSE , WASH.DC ON
SEVEN TWENTY-SEVEN LAST. RE RICHMOND AIRTEL STATES RETIRED US ARMY
COLONEL [REDACTED] ARLINGTON VIRGINIA ADVISED RICHMOND OFFICE
ON SEVEN TWENTY-NINE LAST THAT HIS NEPHEW [REDACTED] STAGED

ANTI-JEWISH DEMONSTRATION AT WHITE HOUSE ON SEVEN TWENTY-SEVEN LAST.
RE BR CASE INVOLVES [REDACTED] WHO DURING JAN. LAST ORGANIZED A GROUP
OF TEEN BOYS IN NYC INTO GROUP KNOWN AS "UNITED NORDIC CONFEDERATION"

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cc [REDACTED]

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/UNC/ AND ALLEGEDLY PLANNED TO ROB A BANK ON ONE SEVENTEEN LAST.
U.N.C. ADVOCATED SUPREMACY OF NORDIC RACE BUT WAS NOT SPECIFICALLY
ANTI-JEWISH. [REDACTED] PRESENTLY FREE ON TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS BAIL

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] MENIONED IN ALL ABOVE REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS
IDENT. TO [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WMA BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PHOTOS OF [REDACTED] AVAILABLE. [REDACTED] PARENTS,
[REDACTED] HAVE BEEN VERY COOPERATIVE IN PAST.

BOTH STATED DURING PRETEXT INTERVIEW THAT [REDACTED] HAS SLEPT AT
HOME EVERY NIGHT DURING PAST MONTH. BOTH GAVE DETAILED OUTLINE OF
[REDACTED] ACTIVITIES IN NYC FROM TEN TEN LAST TO DATE. BOTH STATED
THEY CAN FURNISH NAMES OF AT LEAST TEN PEOPLE WHO WILL SWEAR [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SPENT EVERY MINUTE OF TEN TWELVE LAST IN NYC. OTHER SOURCES
OF NYO AND NYCPD STATE [REDACTED] WAS KNOWN TO BE IN NYC ON TEN TWELVE LAST
ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION NOT CONDUCTED. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND IS CONSIDERED "BLACK SHEEP" OF
OTHERWISE VERY REPUTABLE FAMILY. [REDACTED] BROTHER, A LAWYER,
APPLIED FOR POSITION OF SA, FBI IN NOV. NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN. HE
WAS NOT ACCEPTED. [REDACTED] HAS FURNISHED INFO TO NYO ABOUT
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~~NATIONAL YOUTH LEAGUE AKA NATIONAL GRAPHIC SOCIETY~~, AN ALLEGEDLY
ANTI-JEWISH ORGANIZATION IN NYC WHICH [REDACTED] STATES IS CONNECTED

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WITH [REDACTED] MAY BE IDENT TO

[REDACTED] ATLANTA REQUESTED TO

ADVISE NYO WHETHER OR NOT [REDACTED] SHOULD BE

INTERVIEWED. PHOTOS OF [REDACTED] WILL BE FORWARDED TO ATLANTA

UPON REQUEST.

END AND ACK PLS

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

10-13-58

FROM: SAC, WFO

UNSUBS; Bombing of Synagogue,
Atlanta, Georgia; 10-12-58
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Hebrew Benevolent
Congregation, ATLANTA, GA

ReWFOtel 10-13-58 to Director, Atlanta, and Knoxville,
requesting that [redacted] be interviewed.
Following is summary of his WCC activities in D. C. area.

[redacted] was one of the subjects in WFO investigation of the burning of crosses in front of the residences of prominent individuals residing in Washington, D. C., including members of the Supreme Court, on the nights of July 13 and 14, 1956. One of the subjects in connection with this instance furnished a signed statement concerning the participation of JOHN KASPER, who was labeled as the organizer of the White Citizens Council in the Washington, D. C., area, and [redacted] who was described as [redacted] the White Citizens Council's Southeast Council. Bureau files further indicate that [redacted] in being introduced as a speaker at rallies in support of KASPER, has been described [redacted] [redacted] the Seaboard Citizens Councils of Washington, D. C., or [redacted] White Citizens Councils Southeast Council of Washington, D. C. KASPER [redacted] individuals arrested by the Charlottesville, Virginia, Police Department on August 4, 1956, for distributing handbills and printed matter without a permit. Charges were later nolle prosequi for lack of evidence. Files also reflect that at the time of KASPER's arrest at Clinton, Tennessee, on August 26, 1957, he attempted to call [redacted] but was unsuccessful.

Concerning the burning of crosses, [redacted] was interviewed by Bureau Agents on July 17, 1956, at which time he identified himself as [redacted] Washington, D. C., White Citizens Council. He denied knowledge of the burning of crosses other than what he had read in the press and stated that to the best of his knowledge this activity was not supported by the White Citizens Council. He claimed he attended a meeting of the organization on the night of July 13, 1956, but declined to furnish names of individuals in attendance.

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2-Knoxville
1-WFO
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cc-Kelly

RE: UNSUBS; Bombing of Synagogue,
Atlanta, Georgia; 10/12/58

claiming that he was prohibited by action of the board of directors and by the bylaws of the White Citizens Council from identifying members. [] stated he would consult the Council and advise further as to the furnishing of additional information at a later date. During the course of the interview he voluntarily set forth some of his views concerning the Council. He stated there was an extreme left-wing in the United States which was the communists; that they, the Council, represented the most radical right-wing element in the United States, which he considered to be an offset to the left-wing. On July 18, 1956, he telephonically contacted the Washington Field Office and advised that there was nothing additional he could furnish and that under no circumstances would he reveal the names of any of the members of the Council. In January, 1958, the Bureau received information that [] among others, planned to conduct an organizational campaign at Winchester, Virginia, on January 11, 1958, and if they were unable to travel to Winchester on that date, planned to go on January 18, 1958. Of interest, it was indicated that joining this group at Winchester to assist in his organizational campaign of the White Citizens Councils would be Admiral [] United States Navy, Retired, of Alabama, who has been active as a pro-segregationist.

In August, 1958, an informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised the Washington Field Office that [] the Seaboard White Citizens Councils, Washington, D. C., expected JOHN KASPER to arrive in Washington the latter part of August. Further, that the Seaboard members wanted KASPER to make his headquarters in Washington, D. C., and that they would meet with him upon his arrival to discuss any plans to fight integration which KASPER may have formulated while in prison. This informant also advised that [] intended to picket the White House about the time Virginia schools opened, provided the Seaboard Council could be assured of about 100 picketers. [] according to the informant, believed KASPER would attract this many people from nearby Virginia. JOHN KASPER, it will be recalled, was released from prison on August 1, 1958, after serving a sentence arising from a disturbance in Tennessee over school integration. Picketing did not materialize since KASPER did not arrive Washington, D. C., area until 10/6/58.

[] is employed []
[] Records of [] reflect []
worked from [] shift on 10/5/58 making
physical participation in bombing Clinton High School unlikely.
He worked regular shift [] on Friday, 10/10/58.

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He began vacation 10/11/58 and will return 10/20/58.

[redacted] apartment house advised 10/12/58 that [redacted] and his wife are to visit his and her relatives in the south, place unknown. [redacted] advised on 10/12/58 that [redacted] is in the Clinton, Tennessee - Rome, Georgia, area visiting relatives.

[redacted] advised Knoxville Agents on 3/20/58 that one [redacted]

An informant in September, 1958, advised that [redacted] runs the affairs of and is the driving force of the Seaboard White Citizens Councils, 1047 Thirty-first St., N. W., WDC, although he holds no official position in the organization.

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A picture of [redacted] is attached for the benefit of the Atlanta Office.

[redacted] is to be interviewed re White Citizens Councils activity in WDC, area and the bombings in Clinton and Atlanta. Whichever office Atlanta or Knoxville locates [redacted] who is driving blue 1958 Oldsmobile, and D. C. License [redacted] should notify the other office, Bureau and WFO.

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HEBREW Benevolent
Congregation, ATLANTA, GA

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URGENT 10-13-58 10-02AM GET
TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, ATLANTA
FROM SAC, MEMPHIS 2P

BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
STREET, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, NINETEEN
FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RETEL BUREAU TO ATLANTA
ET AL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST AND RETEL ATLANTA TO BUREAU ET AL
OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. [REDACTED] ADVISED OCTOBER
THIRTEEN INSTANT THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INFORMANT KNOWS OF NO OTHER FORMER KLANSMAN FROM
NASHVILLE AREA WHO WERE IN ATLANTA AREA SATURDAY NIGHT OR WHO
COULD BE SUSPECTS. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] VISITED AT HOME OF [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] UNTIL EIGHT P. M. SATURDAY
OCTOBER ELEVEN LAST WHEN WENT HOME WITH HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN
AND STAYED UNTIL WENT TO CHURCH NINE THIRTY A. M. TWELFTH
INSTANT. [REDACTED] PCI, OF MEMPHIS DIVISION, CONTACTED.
BUREAU AGENT TEN TWENTYFIVE P. M. TWELFTH INSTANT TO REPORT

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RECENTLY FURNISHED INFORMATION TO BUREAU AGENT RESULTING IN ARREST
OF FOUR INDIVIDUALS BY FEDERAL AT AND T AGENTS. [REDACTED] WAS IN
NASHVILLE ENTIRE NIGHT OF ELEVENTH AND TWELFTH INSTANT. [REDACTED]
HAS NO SUSPECTS BUT STATES HE WILL MAKE CONTACT WITH OTHER
FORMER KLANSMAN AND REPORT ANY AFFIRMATIVE INFORMATION. LOGICAL
SOURCES IN MEMPHIS, TENN., THUS FAR HAVE NO SUSPECTS. MEMPHIS PD
HAS NO SUSPECTS.

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cc Mr. Rosen

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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b7cTO : Mr. A. Rosen *R*

DATE: 10/12/58

FROM : W. B. Wells *W*

51 *HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION*

SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
SPRING AND PEACH TREE STREETS
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Tolson _____
 Boardman _____
 Belmont _____
 Mohr _____
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 Parsons _____
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 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

SAC Johnson at Atlanta advised at 10:24 A.M., 10/12/58, that he had just received telephonic advice from Chief of Police Herb Jenkins, Atlanta, that a bomb had gone off some time during the night in the Jewish Temple located at Spring and Peach Tree Streets in Atlanta. SAC Johnson had no details as to the extent of the damage and could only advise that the explosion evidently had not made enough noise to have been noticed at the time it went off. The damage was discovered when persons entered the building this morning in connection with religious activities. The above will be confirmed by appropriate teletype.

The above information was brought to the attention of Assistant Director Alex Rosen who instructed that Inspector Gordon Nease be immediately advised. Mr. Nease was so advised and stated that he would call Atlanta to remind them to handle any press inquiries in this matter in strict accordance with paragraph (B), SAC Letter 58-40. Substantive Supervisor J. G. Kelly was advised and instructed that the information be brought to the attention of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence at the Pentagon.

Major [] Duty Officer, Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Pentagon, was telephonically advised that this Bureau had been advised of the above bombing and that formal advice with respect to same would be forwarded to his office on 10/13/58. *K*

RECOMMENDATION: For information.

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RA Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

RA TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: October 17, 1958

FROM : G. A. NEASE

SUBJECT:

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation,
Atlanta, Ga.

Tele. Room
Mr. Holloman
Mr. W.C. Sullivan
Mr. Trotter
Mr. Nease

[redacted] of Associated Press advised [redacted] at 3 P.M. today that the story he did last Wednesday emphasizing the all-out assistance being given by the FBI to local authorities in bombing cases had apparently attracted some attention. The "Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph" has now asked [redacted] to rewrite his story but to inquire directly of Mr. Hoover for his views so the Director could be quoted in this connection.

[redacted] was advised that indictments have been returned locally against a number of persons in custody by the Atlanta Police Department and it would be improper for the Director to make any comment, to which [redacted] agreed. Accordingly, [redacted] is advising the "Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph" that the FBI is not making any comment on these cases but is continuing to render every possible assistance to local authorities.

Absolutely right. We are not going to be baited into any comment.

1-Mr. Belmont

1-Mr. Rosen

1 [redacted]

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: October 13, 1958

FROM : A. Rosen *R*

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Trotter	_____
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Gandy	_____

yjt SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER 12, 1958

I called SAC Johnson concerning plans and developments. He advised me that although the Laboratory men had finished their examination, they had not ascertained the type or method of detonation of the explosives. The eight men assisting the Laboratory experts have completely resifted the material at the scene and have re-examined the terrain. So far nothing of a definitive nature has been found.

In addition to attempting to determine the whereabouts of potential suspects, a complete neighborhood check is just about completed.

The building has been released by the police to be cleared by the Temple inasmuch as they are desirous of putting it back into usable condition. The bomb experts as well as the Laboratory experts are no longer in need of control over the damaged property.

Johnson is keeping in close touch with the Police Department in order to be aware of all developments and numerous calls are being received by the Police Department and the FBI office, which are being given immediate attention.

I inquired of Johnson as to the immediate plans which he has under way. He said it is planned to interview all cab drivers to determine whether any of them noted anything unusual either in the nature of cars which might have been in the pertinent area or in passengers carried or conversations overheard. A check of all gas stations, cafes, motels and hotels is well under way, the purpose being to try to develop any information which might furnish possible leads.

Reference has heretofore been made to a Negro observed in a 1946 Pontiac about 1:00 A.M. Sunday morning in a Standard Oil station directly across the street from the Temple. Late last night police received a call from an employee of a detective agency who said that he was almost run over

cc: Mr. Belmont
Mr. Nease

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Memorandum to The Director

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by a car which met this description, namely, a blue and white Pontiac. He furnished a South Carolina number This was checked out and ascertained to be an incomplete number inasmuch as there are three prefixes which would have to appear on a South Carolina number. When confronted with this information the private detective without hesitation said that the prefix was the letter D. This in turn was checked out and found to be a Plymouth hardtop which belonged to a student who was supposed to have attended a Georgia Tech game. This was run out and found to be poor information as the car has been accounted for and could not have been in the Atlanta area.

They are rechecking this, however, and running out all further possibilities as it is obvious the information furnished by the private detective is incorrect as to the license number and/or incorrect as to the prefix. It is also noted Johnson states that the so-called blue and white car was the subject of a police broadcast yesterday and so it is a matter of local knowledge that this car was being sought on the initial information. This matter is being pursued.

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URGENT 10-13-58 8-51 PM EST FL

TO DIRECTOR FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA

UNSUBS, ^{3P} Hebrew Benevolent Congregation BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, LAST.

INFORMATION CONCERNING. SUSPECT GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT
HAS JUST BEEN LOCATED AND IS NOW BEING INTERVIEWED.

SISTER-IN-LAW OF BRIGHT SUSPECTS HE MAY HAVE PARTICIPATED
IN INSTANT BOMBING BUT HER SUSPICION BASED SOLELY ON HIS
ABSENCE FROM HOME DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. AT THIS POINT
BRIGHT WITH PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED SUSPECT WALLACE ALLEN,
APPEARED TO PERHAPS HAVE BEST POTENTIAL AS UNSUBS. THIS
IS BASED ON BRIGHT-S ABSENCE FROM HIS RESIDENCE DURING
PERTINENT PERIOD AND HIS APPARENT EVASIVE TACTICS SINCE
BOMBING OCCURRED. DURING INTERVIEW TODAY OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SISTER-IN-LAW OF GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT, SHE
RECEIVED ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL, THE CALLER THREATENING
TO BOMB HER RESIDENCE AFTER WHICH HE IMMEDIATELY HUNG UP.

ABOUT FIVE MINUTES LATER GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT, WHO HAD
NOT BEEN LOCATED AT THAT TIME, CALLED HER LOCALLY BUT
WOULD NOT DISCLOSE HIS WHEREABOUTS. ALSO WALLACE ALLEN

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IN INTERVIEW HAS INDICATED FAIRLY CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH
BRIGHT AND ATTEMPTED VERIFICATION OF ALLEN-S WHEREABOUTS
DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF CLINTON BOMBING SUGGESTS POSSIBILITY
OF HIS ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH SEEMINGLY AIR TIGHT ALIBI AS
HE WAS CONSPICUOUSLY RESIDING TEMPORARILY AT COLONIAL
TERRACE HOTEL, ATLANTA, REFUSING TO ALLOW HOTEL EMPLOYEES
TO ENTER HIS ROOM OCTOBER FOUR LAST. IT WOULD, HOWEVER,
BEEN PHYSICALLY POSSIBLE FOR ALLEN TO LEAVE HOTEL ROOM
DURING OCTOBER FOUR PERIOD WITHOUT ABSENCE BEING DETECTED.
MAINTAINS WAS AT HOME DURING OCTOBER TWELVE PERIOD. SUSPECT
ROBERT BOWLING HAS JUST BEEN LOCATED AND IS NOW BEING
INTERVIEWED. [REDACTED] STUDENT, GEORGIA TECH,
PRESENTLY IN POSSESSION FIFTYSEVEN PLYMOUTH BEARING
SOUTH CAROLINA [REDACTED] CAR
BEARS BOTH TAGS. INFO PREVIOUSLY RECEIVED INDICATED
THAT FIFTYSIX BLUE AND WHITE PONTIAC REPORTEDLY BORE
FIFTYEIGHT SOUTH CAROLINA LICENSE [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] SUPERIMPOSED OVER GEORGIA LICENSE. [REDACTED]
AND [REDACTED] AT STANDARD OIL
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GAS STATION ACROSS FROM INSTANT TEMPLE, SELECTED PHOTO
OF [REDACTED] AS STRONGLY RESEMBLING
THE INDIVIDUAL WHO INQUIRED CONCERNING THE LOCATION
OF THE TEMPLE. [REDACTED] LOCATED PRESENTLY CONFINED TO THE
STONEWALL PUBLIC WORKS CAMP, FULTON COUNTY, GEORGIA
AND ELIMINATED. SUSPECTS [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INTERVIEWED TODAY AND DENIED HAVING ANY KNOWLEDGE
AS TO PERPETRATORS OF INSTANT BOMBING. FURTHER EFFORTS
TO VERIFY THEIR WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD BEING
MADE. INQUIRY ALL MOTELS ATLANTA AREA NEGATIVE. CONTACT
BEING MADE WITH FOUR MAJOR TAXI CAB COMPANIES ATLANTA.
ALL LEADS RECEIVED BY TELEPHONE AND SWITCHBOARD BEING
HANDLED IMMEDIATELY.

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IS THIS THE SUMMARY THE BUREAU IS EXPECTING

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IT IS SUMMARY MENTIONED IN PHONE CALL

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Kelley*
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URGENT 10-14-58 6-46 PM HDA

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC-S LOS ANGELES AND ATLANTA

FROM SAC, CHARLOTTE 2P

Bombing of Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCT. TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION

CONCERNING. RE CHARLOTTE AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR AUGUST THIRTY FIFTYSEVEN.

COPIES TO LOS ANGELES, ATLANTA AND SAVANNAH, ENTITLED QUOTE

KNIGHTS OF KKK, IS DASH X UNQUOTE. NEIGHBOR ADVISED SUSPECT

[REDACTED] DEPARTED CHARLOTTE

EARLY MORNING OCT. TEN LAST EN ROUTE CALIFORNIA, EXACT

DESTINATION UNKNOWN, DRIVING FORTYSIX INTERNATIONAL PANEL

TRUCK, GREEN AND YELLOW, NC LICENSE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ACCORDING TO NEIGHBOR, HE REPORTEDLY OWNS FIVE

ACRES NEAR [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED [REDACTED] ON ONE MONTH TRIP GOING TO

VISIT HIS PROPERTY NEAR [REDACTED] TOLD HER

HE COULD BE CONTACTED CARE OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REPORTEDLY HAS TWO

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UNIDENTIFIED MALE PASSENGERS. ON OCT. FOURTEEN LAST, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WHOSE IDENTITY
MUST BE PROTECTED, ADVISED [REDACTED] INFORMANT
RELATED TODAY THAT [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] OBTAINED INFORMATION REGARDING [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

THEN CLAIMED NO ADDITIONAL KNOWLEDGE AND FURNISHED NO FURTHER
INFORMATION. BUREAU AUTHORITY REQUESTED FOR LOS ANGELES TO
LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AND HIS PASSENGERS UPON ARRIVAL
REGARDING WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD THREE THIRTY
TO THREE FORTY AM, OCT. TWELVE. INVESTIGATION CHARLOTTE
CONTINUING TO IDENTIFY UNKNOWN PASSENGERS AND TO VERIFY
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AND

SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

LOS ANGELES BEING ADVISED

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66: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Mr. Rosen*
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URGENT 10-15-58 6-04 AM EST JEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA

Unknown Subjects
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE

PEACHTREE RD., NW, ATLANTA, GA. OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFO
CONCERNING. RE ATLANTA TEL TEN FOURTEEN, LAST SEVEN
TWENTY FIVE PM, PAGE FOUR, WHICH ADVISED THAT PHOTOS OF ALL
LOCAL SUSPECTS WOULD BE DISPLAYED TO PERSONS IN BRAIRCLIFF
PLAZA SHOPPING AREA FOR IDENTIFICATION AND POSSIBLE INFORMATION
REGARDING ACTIVITIES AND TO ESTABLISH WHETHER GEORGE BRIGHTS
CAR WAS MOVED DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. EMPLOYEES OF PLAZA
PHARMACY, DOBY-S RESTAURANT, MAJESTIC RESTAURANT,
BRIARCLIFF PLAZA, N. HIGHLAND AND PONCE DE LEON AVENUES, NE.
ATLANTA, WHO WERE ON DUTY DURING PERTINENT PERIOD AND WHO
WERE AVAILABLE THIS MORNING, COULD FURNISH NO INFO CONCERNING
MOVEMENTS OF SUSPECTS OR OF GEORGE BRIGHT-S CAR. [REDACTED]

ATLANTA PD OFFICER ON DUTY DURING PERTINENT PERIOD, SAID HE
SAW BRIGHT AND FEMALE COMPANION FITTING DESCRIPTION OF

[REDACTED] LEAVE PLAZA PHARMACY ABOUT TWO AM, OCT. [REDACTED]

TWELVE, LAST. HE BELIEVES THEY LEFT IN [REDACTED] CAR, A BROWN
NASH RAMBLER STATION WAGON, MODEL UNKNOWN. HE WAS UNAWARE

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BRIGHT OWNED A CAR AND DID NOT NOTICE A ONE NINE FIVE TWO
BLUISH GRAY DESOTO SEDAN IN THE PARKING AREA OF THE PLAZA.

OTHER EMPLOYEES AT PLAZA DURING PERTINENT PERIOD ARE TO BE
AVAILABLE AND WILL BE INTERVIEWED TODAY. ATLANTA WILL ~~SEE~~ ^{SUBMIT TELETYPE}
RESULTS.

END ACK PLS

7-08 AM OK FBI WA DI

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR Mr. Kelly
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URGENT 10-15-58 8-45 PM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, KNOXVILLE

FROM SAC, ATLANTA

Unknown Subjects

HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. AFTER FURTHER PRELIMINARY INTERVIEWS WITHOUT BENEFIT OF POLYGRAPH EARLY THIS AM, SUSPECT GEORGE BRIGHT BROUGHT TO ATLANTA OFFICE BY AGENTS AND POLICE DEPARTMENT DETECTIVES TO BE AFFORDED POLYGRAPH TEST. POLYGRAPH TEST OF BRIGHT INDICATES MARKED REACTION ON CRITICAL QUESTIONS DURING TEST RELATING TO KNOWLEDGE OF OR PARTICIPATION IN ATLANTA BOMBING. LABORATORY TECHNICIAN EVALUATES OVER ALL REACTIONS OF BRIGHT TO QUESTIONS ASKED DURING POLYGRAPH TEST AS SUGGESTING THAT BRIGHT ATTEMPTING TO DISTORT HIS RESPONSE TO BOTH CRITICAL AND NON-CRITICAL QUESTIONS AND THAT ALSO EFFORTS TO DISTORT THE PATTERN OF RESPONSE MAY ALSO BE INDICATION OF GUILTY KNOWLEDGE OF AND POSSIBLE PARTICIPATION IN ATLANTA BOMBING. VOICE RECORDING OF BRIGHT OBTAINED USING WORDING OF ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL TO UP IMMEDIATELY AFTER ATLANTA BOMBING AND WORDING OF ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL RECEIVED BY [REDACTED]

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WIFE OF RABBI ROTHCHILD OF INSTANT TEMPLE. SUSPECT

[REDACTED] WHO IS INDIVIDUAL WHO PREVIOUSLY

G-2 FURNISHED SIGNED STATEMENT TO ATLANTA DETECTIVES REGARDING

[REDACTED]
POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AFTER EXAMINATION [REDACTED] CONFRONTED

[REDACTED] FURNISHED TO ATLANTA POLICE

DEPARTMENT. VOICE RECORDINGS ALSO OBTAINED FROM SUSPECT

[REDACTED] SUSPECT WALLACE ~~ALLEN~~, WHO *G-2*

INITIALLY REFUSED TO TAKE POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION HAS NOW

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CONSENTED TO SAME AND IS BEING AFFORDED SUCH EXAMINATION
IN ATLANTA OFFICE AT PRESENT TIME. SUSPECT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAS INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO TAKE POLYGRAPH
EXAMINATION AND WILL BE BROUGHT TO ATLANTA OFFICE THIS
EVENING FOR POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION. EFFORTS WILL BE MADE
TO OBTAIN VOICE RECORDINGS OF BOTH SUSPECTS ALLEN AND

[REDACTED]
SUSPECT GEORGE BRIGHT, WILL BE AFFORDED POLYGRAPH
EXAMINATION EVEN THOUGH SHE HAS BEEN OFFICIALLY
JUDGED [REDACTED] SOME WEEKS AGO
AND POLYGRAPH EXAMINER FEELS THAT UNDER THESE
CIRCUMSTANCES POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION WOULD BE WORTHLESS.

RECENT DEVELOPMENT OF POSSIBLY CONSIDERABLE SIGNIFICANCE
IS LOCATION [REDACTED] ISSUED BY SUSPECT WALLACE
ALLEN TO SUSPECT [REDACTED] AS FOLLOW- ON SEPTEMBER
TWENTYSEVEN, LAST, [REDACTED], ON SEPTEMBER
TWENTYSEVEN LAST, [REDACTED] ON OCTOBER FOUR LAST,
[REDACTED] ON OCTOBER NINE LAST, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] NOTE THAT OCTOBER FOUR CHECK
IMMEDIATELY PRECEDES OCTOBER FIVE BOMBING AT CLINTON,
TENN. AND OCTOBER NINE CHECK IMMEDIATELY PRECEDES BOMBING
IN ATLANTA. ENDORSEMENT ON BACK OF OCTOBER NINE CHECK
INDICATES CASHED AT FOREST-S STORE, SANDY SPRINGS, GEORGIA.
IT WOULD INDICATE SUSPECT [REDACTED] IN ATLANTA ON
OCTOBER TEN IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING ATLANTA BOMBING. ATLANTA
GIVING FULL CONSIDERATION TO POSSIBLE RELATIONS OF THESE
CHECKS IN CONNECTION WITH CLINTON AND ATLANTA BOMBINGS.
BEGINNING TOMORROW, AN INTENSIVE BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION
WILL BE INSTITUTED BY TEAMS OF ONE AGENT AND ONE DETECTIVE
EACH ON FOLLOWING SUSPECTS-- GEORGE BRIGHT, WALLACE ALLEN,
[REDACTED] ROBERT BOWLING, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] THESE INTENSIFIED BANKGROUND
INVESTIGATION WILL INCLUDE EXAMINATION OF ANY EXISTING
BANK ACCOUNTS INCLUDING COMPLETE EXAMINATION OF SUSPECT
WALLEN ALLEN-S BANK ACCOUNT, NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATIONS,
EMPLOYMENT INVESTIGATIONS, CREDIT, CRIMINAL AND TOLL CALL
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CHECKS AS WELL AS INTERVIEWS WITH ANY ASSOCIATES WHO
CAN BE IDENTIFIED. BEGINNING EARLY THIS MORNING ARRANGEMENTS
MADE WITH SUPT. OF DETECTIVES [REDACTED] ^{National Academy} NA, FOR ISSUANCE
OF SEARCH WARRANTS FOR RESIDENCES OF SUSPECTS ROBERT BOWLING,
[REDACTED] GEORGE BRIGHT, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] EMORY C. BURKE, [REDACTED] AND EMMETT O-NEAL
MORRIS. SEARCHES BEING CONDUCTED BY SIX SQUADS OF TWO
AGENTS AND TWO DETECTIVES EACH. SEARCHES COMPLETED THUS
FAR REFLECT ONLY ANTI SEMITIC LITERATURE AND ADDRESSES
OF POSSIBLE SIGNIFICANCE. MATERIAL BEING BROUGHT INTO
ATLANTA OFFICE, BEING TABULATED AND CAREFULLY REVIEWED.
ALL ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT DAY HAVE BEEN DIRECTED BY,
SUPT. [REDACTED] AND MYSELF OUT OF ATLANTA OFFICE.
POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION OF SUSPECT WALLACE ALLEN COMPLETED.
POLYGRAPH EXAMINER STATES EXAMINATION OF NO VALUE. WALLACE
ALLEN MADE NO EFFORT TO COOPERATE WITH INSTRUCTIONS OF
POLYGRAPH EXAMINER, DELIBERATELY MOVED AND OTHERWISE WAS
COMPLETELY UNCOOPERATIVE DURING EXAMINATION. VOICE
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RECORDINGS SECURED FROM ALLEN SIMILAR TO THOSE DESCRIBED
ABOVE WITH RESPECT TO BRIGHT AND [REDACTED] AT TWELVE
NOON TODAY [REDACTED] HUB FORD
COMPANY, ATLANTA, REPORTED HE HAD JUST RECEIVED AND
ANONYMOUS PHONE CALL FROM A MALE WITH YOUNG SOUNDING
VOICE AND SOUTHERN ACCENT AND CALLER STATED ~~QUOTE~~

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"YOU ARE AWFULLY FREE WITH YOUR REWARD MONEY. YOU ARE
THE NEXT SON OF A B---- TO GET BLOWN UP" ~~UNQUOTE~~. CALLER
THEN HUNG UP. [REDACTED] EXPLAINED THAT HE HAD ADVERTISED
IN LOCAL PAPER THAT HE WOULD PAY FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD
FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO IDENTIFICATION PERPETRATORS
OF CAPTIONED CRIME. THIS INFO IMMEDIATELY FURNISHED
ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT WHO INSTITUTED INVESTIGATION
CONCERNING THIS CALL.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: October 16, 1958

FROM : G. A. NEASE *gan*

Tolson	✓
Belmont	✓
Mohr	✓
Nease	✓
Parsons	✓
Rosen	✓
Tamm	✓
Trotter	✓
W.C. Sullivan	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Holloman	✓
Gandy	✓

SUBJECT:

Bombing of Jewish Temple
1589 Peachtree St. N.W.
Atlanta, Ga

For record purposes, [redacted] of the "Atlanta Constitution" called me on two or three occasions last night, the last time being at 2:40 AM this morning, concerning the rumor that a story on the breaking of the Atlanta bombing case might be put out during the night. On the last occasion, he stated he understood the Associated Press in Atlanta in filing their budget for the day, called for moving a 350 word story out of Atlanta on the bombing. I told him that as on previous occasions, I could make no comment and, of course, I had no way of knowing what the Associated Press had in mind.

1 - Mr. Rosen

1 - [redacted]

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dot URGENT 10-15-58 11-13PM EST JFB

TO DIRECTOR FBI AND SACS ATLANTA, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM SAC RICHMOND 2P

Unknown Subjects Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF TEMPLE, PEACHTREE ST., N. W., ATLANTA, GA., TEN
TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFO CONCERNING. [REDACTED] REPORTER FOR

NORTHERN VIRGINIA SUN NEWSPAPER, ARLINGTON, VA., THIS EVENING TELE-
PHONED SA [REDACTED] AT ALEXANDRIA, VA., AND ADVISED AS
FOLLOWS. [REDACTED] AFTER READING ABOUT THE BOMBING OF CAPTIONED
TEMPLE, RECALLED THAT LINCOLN ROCKWELL, SIXTYFIVE TWELVE, WILLIAMSBURG
BLVD., ARLINGTON, VA., HAD BEEN IN SOME WAY CONNECTED WITH THE ANTI-
JEWISH DEMONSTRATIONS STAGED IN WASHINGTON, D. C., ATLANTA, AND
LOUISVILLE, KEN., DURING THE PAST SUMMER. THIS AFTERNOON AND EVENING,
[REDACTED] INTERVIEWED ROCKWELL, WHO ADMITTED HE HAD PARTICIPATED IN
THE ABOVE DEMONSTRATIONS. ROCKWELL STATED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHO IS OR WAS FORMERLY ASSOCIATED
WITH DUNN AND BRADSTREET, IS THE BACKER OF HIMSELF, WALLACE ALLEN, OF
ATLANTA, GA., AND AN UNNAMED INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP IN LOUISVILLE, KEN.
ROCKWELL IDENTIFIED HIS ORGANIZATION AS THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO FREE

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AMERICA FROM JEWISH DOMINATION. ROCKWELL STATED THAT HE FORMERLY WORKED FOR AND WITH WALLACE ALLEN AT ATLANTA, AND HAS FREQUENTLY CORRESPONDED WITH HIM. ROCKWELL DENIED IMPLICATION IN INSTANT BOMBING, AND STATED HE IS SURE ALLEN DID NOT HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH IT.

[REDACTED] WILL FURNISH ANY OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION RECEIVED. HE IS UNCERTAIN AT THE MOMENT AS TO ANY STORY HE MAY WRITE, AS HE DOES NOT FEEL THAT HE CAN BE SURE OF ALL THE INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY ROCKWELL. THE BUREAU AND PERTINENT OFFICES WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RECEIVED. ATLANTA TO BE ADVISED.

END ACK IN ORDER PLS

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cc: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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FA TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: 10/16/58

FROM : A. ROSEN *R*

SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE STREET, N. W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

Tolson _____
Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Nease _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____

While talking to SAC Johnson, Atlanta, he advised me that he had just received word that Assistant Solicitor [] was going to go before the grand jury at 10:00 a. m. tomorrow and as a result the hearing on the writs of habeas corpus filed on behalf of the suspects, has been postponed until 2:00 p. m. tomorrow. Police officers [] and [] of the Police Department have been handling the case for the Police Department.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Nease

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TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: October 16, 1958

FROM : A. ROSEN *Ros*

SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

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 Tamm ☒
 Trotter ☒
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SAC Johnson advised the State intends to obtain indictments against Robert [] Bowling, Wallace Allen, [] and George Bright. Witnesses for the State will be Sgt. [] who took the statement from [] and Capt. [] of the Atlanta Police Department. Also the cab driver who saw the car meeting the description of Bright's DeSoto in the vicinity of the Temple during the pertinent period will be a witness for the State. The attitude of the State's Attorney is that he intends to push for an indictment.

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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TO : The Director

DATE: October 16, 1958

FROM : A. Rosen *R*SUBJECT: *Hebrew BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION*
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS;*BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE*
1589 PEACHTREE ROAD, NORTHWEST
ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER 12, 1958
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Boardman	_____
Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Nease	_____
Parsons	_____
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Trotter	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
Holloman	_____
Gandy	_____

SAC Johnson called. He advised that Captain [] has just gone to the State Solicitor's office to discuss action which can be taken in this matter. An immediate decision is needed from the State Solicitor inasmuch as writs of habeas corpus were filed in behalf of the five individuals in custody of the Atlanta Police Department and hearings on these writs are set for 10:00 A.M. tomorrow.

There are three alternative procedures:

1. If the State Solicitor believes there is sufficient probable cause evidence to go before a state grand jury, then indictments can be secured even though evidence sufficient to assure conviction is not presently at hand. According to Captain [] it would appear that possibly indictments might be considered against George Bright, Wallace Allen, Robert Bowling, and possibly [].
2. If the Solicitor does not believe it worthwhile to secure indictments at the present time, then the Police Department is going to suggest to him that he not contest the writs of habeas corpus which have been filed because to do so would reveal the government's case.
3. If the Solicitor is not going to secure indictments and is not going to contest the writs, then it is suggested that he have grand jury subpoenas issued calling for the appearance of these individuals before the next state grand jury, which is scheduled for Tuesday, October 21, 1958. These subpoenas would insure the availability of the individuals next Tuesday. However, under state law an indictment could not be returned if they were actually required to go before the grand jury so it would be necessary to dismiss the subpoenas on Tuesday.

If the State Solicitor will not secure indictments, the possibility of placing these subjects under 24-hour surveillance should be considered. It is recognized that this will require a great deal of manpower. On the basis

cc: Mr. Belmont

cc: Mr. Nease

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of developments, however, we should have knowledge of the whereabouts of the subjects.

SAC Johnson has made arrangements to be immediately advised when the Solicitor hands down his opinion and Johnson will telephone the Bureau as soon as this information is received.

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URGENT 10-16-58 6-21 PM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 2P

mg *Hebrew Benevolent Congregation*
BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE ROAD,
N. W., ATLANTA, GA., TEN, TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. [REDACTED] REPORTER, MACON TELEGRAPH,

MACON, GA., ADVISED MACON RA THIS DATE ONE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SISTERHOOD, TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL,

MACON, GA, OBSERVED PERSON TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS OF TEMPLE BETH
ISRAEL FROM ACROSS STREET. [REDACTED] STATED PHOTOGRAPHS NOT
OBTAINED BY MACON TELEGRAPH OR MACON NEWS, THE LOCAL NEWSPAPERS.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] IMMEDIATELY CONTACTED AND ADVISED BETWEEN
ELEVEN FIFTY AM AND TWELVE ZERO FIVE PM THIS DATE SHE OBSERVED
A PERSON WHO IS NOT A MEMBER OF TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL CONGREGATION
AND THIS PERSON NOT PREVIOUSLY SEEN BY HER, TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS
OF TEMPLE FROM ACROSS STREET WITH POLAROID CAMERA. SHE [REDACTED]

CIRCLED BLOCK AND SAW SAME MAN TAKING PHOTOGRAPH OF REAR OF
TEMPLE FROM ALLEYWAY. SHE CIRCLED BLOCK AGAIN AND WAS UNABLE [REDACTED]

END PAGE ONE

Mr. Rosen

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*no dissemination
as threat disproven
See AT 10/17 11:47am
JHT*

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TO AGAIN LOCATE THIS MAN. [REDACTED] CONTACTED [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WHO ADVISED NO ONE CONTACTED HIM ABOUT TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS
OF TEMPLE. [REDACTED] DESCRIBED PHOTOGRAPHER AS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WEARING MAN-S GREY SUIT, WHITE SHIRT,
AND TIE. [REDACTED] STATES WOULD RECOGNIZE IF EVER SAW
PHOTOGRAPHER AGAIN. [REDACTED] ASSISTANT CHIEF, MACON,
GA. PD ADVISED CONCERNING THIS INFORMATION. [REDACTED] INSTRUCTING
HIS MEN TO BE ON ALERT FOR ANY POSSIBLE SUSPICIOUS INDIVIDUALS
OR ACTIVITIES IN AREA TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL AND IS NOT PUBLICIZING
INFORMATION. [REDACTED] STATES WILL IMMEDIATELY ADVISE BUREAU IN
EVENT ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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10/16/58

Sub
TO:
FROM:
RE:

DIRECTOR, FBI
SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD
BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
ATLANTA, GA. 10/12/58
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING

Metropolitan Police Dept.

[redacted] confidentially
advised ASAC [redacted] on the morning of 10/16/58
that the MPD has issued instructions to beat patrolmen
and patrol cars that all synagogues in Washington, D. C.
be checked every hour during each night. [redacted]
[redacted] PD has no information indicating any intention
to bomb these synagogues but is taking the above measures
as a precaution.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD

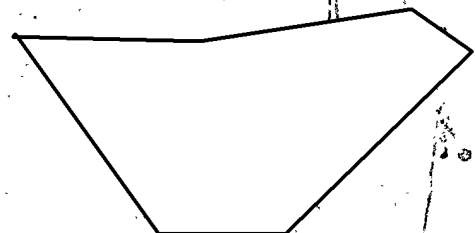
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ATLANTA, GA., 10/12/58
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10/16/58

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, WFO (62-8011)

UNSUBS; Bombing of Temple,
Peachtree Road,
Atlanta, Ga., 10/12/58
MISCELLANEOUS - INFO CONCERNING

Captain [redacted] Special Investi-
gations Squad, Detective Bureau, MPD, today advised
ASAC [redacted] that the MPD has made a check of
Washington, D. C., to locate places where dynamite is
sold or stored. The results of this check reflect that
no dynamite is sold in the city of Washington, but is
stored in three places. These places have been alerted
to exercise security precautions against theft.

Captain [redacted] has no indication of potential
bombing in D. C., but has taken above action for pre-
cautionary measure.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE

PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST.

RE AT TEL SENT SIX TWENTYONE PM EST OCTOBER SIXTEEN LAST

RE PERSON OBSERVED TAKING PHOTOS OF TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL,

MACON, GEORGIA. [REDACTED] ASSURANCE COMPANY OF

AMERICA, ATLANTA, GA., INSURER OF MACON TEMPLE, HAS ADVISED

HE, [REDACTED] FOR INSURANCE PURPOSES, TOOK PHOTOS OCTOBER

SIXTEEN LAST OF THE MACON TEMPLE. MACON PD SO ADVISED.

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Mr. Rosen

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Mr. Kelly

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TO DIRECTOR 4 AND SAC ATLANTA
FROM SAC NEW YORK 2 P

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UNSUBS, BOMBING OF TEMPLE, PEACHTREE ROAD, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,
OCTOBER TWELVE, FIFTY EIGHT. INFO CONCERNING. NY "DAILY NEWS"

OCTOBER SIXTEENTH, FIFTY EIGHT, CARRIES STORY CAPTIONED "CONNECT,
N. Y. HOODS TO TEMPLE BOMBING", DATED ATLANTA, OCTOBER FIFTEENTH
/ SPECIAL/, WRITTEN BY [REDACTED] ARTICLE INDICATES THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHOSE PHOTOGRAPH IS CARRIED IN PAPER, WAS BEING SOUGHT BY
POLICE FOR QUESTIONING IN CONNECTION WITH THIS CASE. STORY POINTED
OUT [REDACTED] WAS ONCE LISTED IN NY SOCIAL REGISTER. TELEPHONIC INFO-
RMATION RECEIVED FROM [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THAT [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] IS BROTHER OF [REDACTED] AND IS EMPLOYED BY [REDACTED]
COMPANY. [REDACTED] REPORTEDLY HAS ADVISED [REDACTED] THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RESIDES WITH HIS FATHER IN [REDACTED] AND IS
EMPLOYED AS [REDACTED] FOR COMPANY IN GEORGIA, NAME UNKNOWN,
WHICH JOB REQUIRES THAT HE TRAVEL EXTENSIVELY. [REDACTED]
CORR LINE 10 LAST TWO WDS SHD BE THIRTY FIRST

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[REDACTED] ADVISED
TELEPHONICALLY THAT HE KNEW [REDACTED] SEVERAL YEARS AGO AT WHICH
TIME [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT THAT TIME, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] NO INQUIRY RE [REDACTED] BEING MADE NYO IN ABSENCE OF
REQUEST FROM BUREAU OR ATLANTA DIVISION.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC NORFOLK 1 P

RE UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE ROAD, NORTHWEST, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST.

INFORMATION CONCERNING. THE FOLLOWING TELETYPE RECEIVED FROM ATLANTA OCTOBER SIXTEEN LAST. QUOTE WALLACE H. ALLEN RESIDING FIVE FIVE THREE ONE ROSWELL ROAD, ATLANTA IS ONE OF SEVERAL SUSPECTS IN CAPTIONED MATTER. CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ADVISED THAT ALLEN WAS IN CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] IN JULY AND AUGUST LAST. INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AND OBTAIN ALL INFORMATION HE HAS CONCERNING ALLEN AND HIS ASSOCIATES. END QUOTE. REBULET DECEMBER TWENTYSEVEN LAST. RE [REDACTED] SOURCE OF INFORMATION BUFILE ONE HUNDRED DASH TWO ZERO NINE FIVE THREE FIVE, RESTRICTING THAT IT IS NOT DESIRED THAT ANY CONTACT BE MADE WITH [REDACTED] HOWEVER, INFORMATION VOLUNTEERED SHOULD BE RECEIVED AND SHOULD BUREAU-S INTEREST BEST BE SERVED BY INITIATING CONTACT, BUREAU SHOULD BE ADVISED. ON OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST. [REDACTED] VOLUNTEERED. END PAGE ONE

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Mr. Rosen

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INFORMATION TO AGENT AT NEWPORT NEWS RA TO EFFECT HE HAD READ OF ARREST OF ONE WALLACE H. ALLEN IN ATLANTA IN CONNECTION WITH CAPTIONED MATTER. [] STATED A WALLACE H. ALLEN, WHO FROM DESCRIPTION APPEARS TO BE IDENTICAL WITH ONE APPEARING IN NEWSPAPER ARTICLE, HAD VISITED HIM ON THREE OR FOUR OCCASIONS. [] STATED THAT ANTI-SEMITIC LITERATURE FOUND IN ALLEN-S HOME WAS PROBABLY [] AND HE WOULD BE WILLING TO TESTIFY TO THAT FACT IF NECESSARY. HE STATED HE HAD WRITTEN LETTERS TO ALLEN IN PAST AND FEELS ALLEN IS ALL RIGHT AND NOT KIND OF LUNATIC THAT WOULD DO SUCH A THING. [] STATED PURPOSE IN CALLING WAS TO OFFER HIS ASSISTANCE AND THAT HE WOULD B E AVAILABLE AT ANY TIME FOR CONTACT. UACB [] WILL BE INTERVIEWED ON AFTERNOON OF OCTOBER SEVENTEEN AS REQUESTED BY ATLANTA AND RESULTS FURNISHED ATLANTA BY TELETYPE.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Mr. Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: 10/17/58

FROM : A. ROSEN *R*

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SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE STREET, N. W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

ASAC [] Atlanta, called indicating their first flash received reflects an indictment was returned against George Bright, [] Robert Bowling, Wallace Allen and [] Under Georgia law they do not charge any of them with conspiracy but each is named as a principal. Each has been charged with willful destruction by explosives of the Jewish Synagogue. This comes within the purview of Section 26-2302 of the Georgia Code.

Copies of the indictment are being obtained and we will be advised of further developments.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Nease

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Associated Press Photo

Dynamite Rips Wall of Atlanta Jewish Temple

A thunderous dynamite blast ripped a gaping hole in a wall of the Atlanta Jewish Temple yesterday. The dynamiters fled undetected in the predawn darkness.

Above, Mayor William B. Hartsfield, left, and Rabbi Jacob M. Rothschild survey the wreckage. No one was hurt. Story on Page A1.

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Ike Orders FBI Inquiry

Blast From 40 Sticks of Dynamite Rips Jewish Temple in Atlanta

From News Dispatches

ATLANTA, Oct. 12—A thunderous dynamite blast ripped a gaping hole in a wall of an Atlanta Jewish temple today. The dynamiters fled undetected in the predawn darkness.

Damage was extensive—one estimate was \$200,000—but no one was hurt. The tremendous explosion in a fashionable section of Peachtree rd. shook houses a half-mile away. President Eisenhower called on J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, for a "full first hand report on the bombing." He said the incident was "deplorable."

It was the second straight Sunday dynamiting in the South. A series of blasts shattered an integrated school in Clinton, Tenn., last Sunday. It was the fourth Southern city in which Jewish worship centers have been dynamited this year.

The explosion made a hole 15 to 20 feet square at what had been a side entrance near the rear of the Temple, home of the Hebrew Benevolent Congregation of Atlanta. Police Capt. J. L. Moseley estimated that 40 to 50 sticks of dynamite were placed just outside the heavy wooden door.

The blast wrecked a church office and the study of Rabbi Jacob M. Rothschild. An auditorium used for religious education and social activities was severely damaged. Stained

glass windows littered the floor of the main sanctuary in the front of the building.

Mayor William B. Hartsfield said he believed the dynamiting "has international implications" and that it was done "by rabble rousers operating on hate."

About the time of the blast United Press International received an anonymous phone call from a person who identified himself as "General Gordon of the Confederate Underground."

The caller informed the UPI that "we have just blown up a temple" and said other such incidents would follow.

An FBI spokesman said the bombing followed "just about an exact pattern" with earlier ones in Miami, Jacksonville and Birmingham.

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 Wash. News _____
 Wash. Star _____
 N. Y. Herald Tribune _____
 N. Y. Journal-American _____
 N. Y. Mirror _____

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 Unknown Subjects, Bombing of the Temple*

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TO: SACS, ATLANTA
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KNOXVILLE
LOUISVILLE
LITTLE ROCK
MEMPHIS
MIAMI
MOBILE
SAVANNAH

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

HERBREW BENEVOLENCE CONGREGATION
BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACH TREE STREET, N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER
TWELVE LAST. JEWISH TEMPLE BOMBED AT ABOUT THREE
THIRTY A.M., E.S.T. DAMAGE DESCRIBED AS EXTENSIVE.
ALL OFFICES IMMEDIATELY ASCERTAIN WHEREABOUTS DURING
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OF THE HIGH SCHOOL AT CLINTON, TENNESSEE ON OCTOBER
FIVE LAST. ANY INFORMATION DEVELOPED REGARDING

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TELETYPE TO ATLANTA
BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE

LOGICAL POTENTIAL SUSPECTS PARTICULARLY PERSONS
AFFILIATED WITH THE "CONFEDERATE UNDERGROUND" SHOULD
BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE BUREAU BY RETURN
TEL. AT AND BUREAU SHOULD BE FURNISHED FULL DETAILS.
CONTACT INFORMANTS WHO MAY BE IN A POSITION TO FURNISH
PERTINENT INFORMATION. HANDLE IMMEDIATELY AND SUTEL
BUREAU AND ATLANTA NOT LATER THAN NINE A.M. / ^{TOMORROW} WASHINGTON
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URGENT 10-12-58 7-22PM WS

TO SAC-S ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM, CHARLOTTE, JACKSONVILLE, KNOXVILLE,
LOUISVILLE, LITTLE ROCK, MEMPHIS, MIAMI, MOBILE AND SAVANNAH
FROM DIRECTOR 1P

BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE STREET,
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URGENT 10-12-58 7-10PM WS

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: October 13, 1958

FROM : G. A. Nease

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For record purposes, [redacted] for a number of independent radio stations, inquired of my office this morning if someone could get on the telephone in order that he could make a recording of the statement issued yesterday regarding the FBI actively assisting in every possible way local law enforcement authorities in Atlanta in the bombing over the week end of the Jewish synagogue in that city.

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation,
 [redacted] was advised that we were regretful that this would not be possible. He then inquired as to whether there was any additional information which could be given out at this time that he could utilize among his radio clients and he was advised there was no elaboration or additional information which could be furnished.

1 - Mr. Rosen

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1 gwk [redacted]
Men's Club of Fresh Meadows
Jewish Center
Flushing, New York

Dear [redacted]

Your telegram of October 13, 1958, concerning the bombing of a temple in Atlanta has been received, and the interest which prompted your communication is appreciated.

I thought you would like to know that representatives of the FBI are cooperating with and actively assisting the local authorities in every way possible. They, of course, will take complete charge of any investigation indicating a Federal violation.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: [redacted] is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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Mr. Tamm	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	✓
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HON J EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR

FBI

Webster Benevolent Congregation
AMERICANS OF ALL RACES AND FAITHS ARE SHOCKED BY THE *ATLANTA, GA.*
RECENT BOMBING IN SOUTHERN STATES AND BY THE URSURPING
OF CIVIL RIGHTS WHICH CULMINATED IN THE WANTON DESTRUCTION
OF A TEMPLE IN ATLANTA GA THE MENS CLUB OF FRESH
MEADOWS JEWISH CENTER OF FLUSHING NEW YORK KNOWS
THAT YOU JOIN IN OUR DRIVE FOR IMMEDIATE AND POSITIVE
ACTION TO BE TAKEN IN ORDER TO BRING TO JUSTICE THE
PERPERTRATORS OF SUCH CRIMES AND TO PREVENT THEIR RECURRENCE

☐ PRESIDENT MENS CLUB

FRESH MEADOWS JEWISH CENTER

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Mr. Nease

cc: Mr. Nease

*let to Mr. Nease
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*MR. Nease
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: October 14, 1958

FROM : MR. A. ROSEN

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ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958
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On [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] furnished a signed statement
 to officers of the Atlanta Police Department (PD) in which he stated

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[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] According to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was previously interviewed on [REDACTED] by Bureau Agents and officers of the Atlanta PD. At that time he was uncooperative. He was booked by the Atlanta PD on a charge of [REDACTED] and it was while he was being held in custody that he furnished his statement.

[REDACTED] is identical with [REDACTED] an active informant of the Atlanta Office regarding [REDACTED]. He has been under development as an informant since [REDACTED] is

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[REDACTED] He has been extremely active and has furnished a large volume of information. [REDACTED]

Since [REDACTED] identified [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] officers of the Atlanta PD inquired of our Atlanta Office whether [REDACTED] might be a likely suspect and Atlanta suggested that he be interviewed.

- 1 - Mr. Nease
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Evans

1 - Mr. Kelly 1 - Mr. H. J. Morgan

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Memo to the Director
RE: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE

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Bureau Agents and officers of the Atlanta PD interviewed [redacted]
[redacted] did not advise officers of the Atlanta PD that he
was a Bureau informant and the Atlanta Office did not so advise them.
Atlanta police officers read [redacted] statement to [redacted]

[redacted]

Bufiles fail to reflect that [redacted] ever furnished exact
information in line with that furnished by [redacted] However, on

[redacted]

Review of Bufiles reflects that [redacted] has been an
extremely productive informant and that the vast majority of informa- b7D
tion furnished has been verified through other sources.

In June, 1958, Atlanta advised that [redacted]
[redacted] had stated [redacted]

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On 9-6-58 [redacted] advised that [redacted] had stated

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[REDACTED]

Atlanta has conducted extensive inquiries in an effort to resolve the question of [REDACTED] participation in the Jacksonville bombings. To date, Atlanta has been unable to resolve the question. Information implicating [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] in the Jacksonville bombings was furnished to Jacksonville PD on 10-3-58 and Jacksonville PD has requested Bureau to conduct investigation to determine if [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] could have been involved in Jacksonville bombings. By teletype this date Atlanta being instructed to conduct investigation requested by Jacksonville PD.

By teletype 10-14-58 Atlanta pointed out that [REDACTED] has been reliable in past, is still considered to be [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Atlanta points out that by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

It appears that the information furnished by [REDACTED] concerning the bombing of the new synagogue in Atlanta may be identical to the information furnished by [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This fact may explain the discrepancy. It is felt, however, that Atlanta should be instructed to question [REDACTED] to determine if such was the case, if not to determine the full details regarding the circumstances under which he obtained the information.

Since the question of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Our investigation at the request of the Jacksonville PD should resolve this question.

ACTION:

If you approve, there is attached an appropriate communication to Atlanta in line with the above.

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10/14/58

1 - Mr. Kelly

October 15, 1958

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TELETYPE

URGENT

TO SAC CHARLOTTE
LOS ANGELES
ATLANTA

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

HEBREW BENEVOLENCE CONGREGATION
DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST AND CHARLOTTE TEL
OCTOBER THIRTEEN, LAST. LOS ANGELES AUTHORIZED TO LOCATE,
INTERVIEW [] RE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD
OCTOBER TWELVE. []

[] SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS AND APPROPRIATE
PRECAUTIONS TAKEN BY CONTACTING AGENTS. LOS ANGELES SUTEL
BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES RESULTS OF INTERVIEW []
CHARLOTTE SUTEL RESULTS EFFORTS TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS DURING
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[] racial extremist and suspect in captioned
bombing, left Charlotte morning 10-10-58 en route []

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TO SAC CHARLOTTE LOS ANGELES ATLANTA
FROM DIRECTOR 1 P

DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANT, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
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ROAD, NW, ATLANT, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST AND CHARLOTTE TEL
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October 15, 1958

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TO SAC KNOXVILLE
ATLANTA

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

HEBREW BEVERLEND CONGREGATION
DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, ONE NINE FIVE EIGHT,
INFORMATION CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. SUTEL
RESULTS OF EFFORTS TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT
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URGENT 10-15-58 4-21 PM JHM

TO SACS KNOXVILLE AND ATLANTA

FROM DIRECTOR 1 P

DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, ONE NINE FIVE EIGHT,
INFORMATION CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. SUTEL
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URGENT 10-15-58 3-52 PM JS

TO SACS KNOXVILLE AND ATLANTA

FROM DIRECTOR 1 P

DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, ONE NINE FIVE EIGHT,
INFORMATION CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. SUTEL
RESULTS OF EFFORTS TO DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Rosen *R*

DATE: 10-16-58

FROM : W. B. Welte *W*Time of Call:
12:12 a.m.
10-16-58SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958Tolson _____
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b7C*Hebrew Benevolent Confederation*

SA Dallas Mobley of the Atlanta Office advised that in addition to the polygraph examinations described in Atlanta teletype 8:45 p.m., 10-15-58, [] has been run on the polygraph and nothing was observed to indicate that he was involved in the bombing or that he was withholding information. *GA 2-1*

Emory Burke, who is associated with the group of suspects and whose home was searched on 10-15-58, came to the Atlanta Office on 10-15-58 and volunteered to be run on the polygraph. He is to be given a test at 9:00 a.m., 10-16-58. [] *GA* and Robert A. Bowling, both of whom are in custody, have agreed to submit to the polygraph and will also be tested on 10-16-58. *5-7*

The searches have been completed and nothing of evidentiary nature was found. Anti-Semitic literature and correspondence identifying associates was taken and is being examined in a detailed manner for possible significance.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Nease
- 1 - Mr. Parsons

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Tells of Meeting That Plotted Blast

ATLANTA, Oct. 14 (AP).—A man who said he might be killed for speaking has signed a statement that the dynamiting of The Jewish Temple was planned last May at a meeting of an anti-semitic organization in East Atlanta.

Police said the informant dictated the statement in the presence of three officers late last night but asked that his name be withheld because his home might be bombed if the underground group learned what he had done.

Sgt. M. W. Blackwell quoted the man as saying he attended the meeting at which plans were made for the bombing but that he objected to the use of dynamite and was not invited to attend later sessions.

Between 40 and 50 sticks of dynamite were set off early Sunday against a wall of the

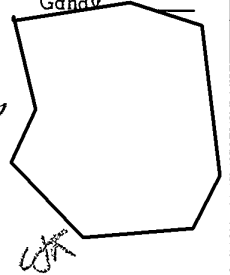
tempe on Peachtree rd. Damage was estimated at \$200,000.

The informant said one member of the group who had worked as an architect drew plans of the Tempe showing exactly where the explosive was to be placed. He said the dynamite was to have been obtained from Harlan, Ky., and set off by a man brought from Birmingham, Ala.

Police said the man's statement might prove to be the first real break in the investigation of bombings of Jewish structures in the South.

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Hebrew Benevolent Organization

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Date: 10/15/58

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AMSD
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (62-1670)

UNSUBS,
BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.W.,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
10/12/58
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Remytel 10/15/58.

Attached hereto are two carbon copies of a letter
addressed to Chief of Police HERBERT T. JENKINS
setting forth the results of polygraph examination
afforded to GEORGE BRIGHT.

As indicated in referenced teletype, the original
of this statement was personally delivered to
Chief of Police JENKINS at 7:15 PM 10/15/58 by
SAC.

JOHNSON

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1 - Atlanta (62-1670)
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12 OCT 16 1958

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

533 - 805 Peachtree Bldg.
Atlanta 8, Georgia
October 15, 1958

Chief Herbert T. Jenkins
Atlanta Police Department
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Chief Jenkins:

In response to the request of Superintendent of
Detectives [redacted] a polygraph examination was
afforded to George Michael Bright on October 15, 1958,
in connection with the investigation of the bombing of
The Temple at 1589 Peachtree Street, N. W., Atlanta,
Georgia.

During the examination the following questions were
directed to George Michael Bright as control questions,
these being listed as #1 through #12 respectively:

1. Is your name George Michael Bright?
2. Is today Wednesday?
3. Are you wearing a white shirt?
4. Did you eat breakfast today?
5. Is your first name George?
6. Are you unemployed?
7. Are you sitting in a chair?
8. Were you ever in the armed services?
9. Have you answered these questions truthfully?
10. Do you intend to answer all questions truthfully?
11. Do you live in Atlanta?
12. Are you a college graduate?

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Questions relative to the bombing of the Temple are listed as #20 through #36, respectively.

20. Have you ever been on the premises of the Jewish Temple at Peachtree and Spring?
21. Do you have any information as to the identity of the persons who bombed the Temple?
22. Were you present when Rabbi Jacob Rothschild spoke at the First Baptist Church?
23. Have you ever telephoned Rabbi Rothschild?
24. Did you telephone the newspaper last Sunday morning?
- 25(a). Were you ever present at a meeting where the bombing of the Jewish Synagogue was planned?
- 25(b). Were you ever present at a meeting where the bombing of the Jewish Synagogue was discussed?
26. Have you ever written a letter to Rabbi Rothschild?
27. Have you ever purchased any dynamite?
28. Have you ever had any dynamite in your possession?
29. Did you bomb the Jewish Temple?
30. Are you acquainted with Wallace Allen?
31. Have you ever heard Wallace Allen discuss bombing the Temple?
32. Have you ever heard [redacted] volunteer to obtain dynamite for bombing?
33. Were you ever involved in any bombings?
34. Do you know who bombed the Temple?
35. Did you participate in any way in bombing the Temple?
36. Do you have any information concerning the bombing which you have withheld from us?

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Marked reactions ordinarily associated with an attempt to deceive the polygraph examiner were noted on the polygraph chart in connection with questions #27, #28, #33 and #34.

The reactions observed in response to questions #20, #21, #25a, #25b, #29, #35 and #36 were even more outstanding. These reactions are sufficiently significant to indicate deception.

Of further interest the overall reactions to questions asked during the polygraph test suggested that Bright was attempting to distort his responses to both critical and non-critical questions. Such efforts to distort the pattern of responses may also be an indication of his guilty knowledge of and possible participation in the bombing under investigation.

The above is submitted for your assistance in evaluating the evidence which you may possess concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,

N. R. JOHNSON,
Special Agent in Charge

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Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
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Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

URGENT 10-15-58 9-34 PM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

HERREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
UNSUBS., BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFO CONCERNING.

REBUTEL INSTANT DATE REQUESTING RESULTS OF EFFORTS TO DETERMINE

THE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF

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AND THUS FAR WE ARE UNABLE TO LOCATE REQUEST OF THIS

OFFICE TO HANDLE SUCH INVESTIGATION. IF SUCH HAS BEEN REQUESTED

PLEASE FURNISH FURTHER IDENTIFYING INFORMATION. REC-6
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TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS, ATLANTA AND KNOXVILLE

FROM SAC, CHARLOTTE 1 P
HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

RD., N.W., ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. RE CHARLOTTE TELETYPE OCTOBER FIFTEEN, FIFTYEIGHT

RE STATUS OF SUSPECTS. SUSPECT

ADVISED HE WAS HOME PERTINENT PERIOD OF BOMBINGS AT ATLANTA,

GA., AND CLINTON, TENN. THIS INFORMATION SUBSTANTIATED BY

RELATIVES WHO ARE THE ONLY PERSONS IN A POSITION TO DO SO

DUE TO RURAL AREA IN WHICH RESIDENCE LOCATED.

ALL CHARLOTTE SUSPECTS WHEREABOUTS ESTABLISHED DURING

PERTINENT PERIOD WITH EXCEPTION OF WHO IS BEING

INTERVIEWED BY LOS ANGELES OFFICE

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Mr. Rosen

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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TO SACS ATLANTA AND NEW YORK

FROM DIRECTOR

~~OTHER REVENUE INFORMATION~~
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, BOMBING OF JEWISH SYNAGOGUE, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,

OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RENYTEL TODAY.

IMMEDIATELY CONDUCT LOGICAL INVESTIGATION TO PROVE OR DISPROVE

[REDACTED] ALLEGATIONS. INVESTIGATION SHOULD INCLUDE INTERVIEW

WITH [REDACTED] IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FIRST NAME UNKNOWN END [REDACTED] OR [REDACTED] AND INVESTIGATION

AT BILLS TRADING POST. DETERMINE WHETHER [REDACTED] WANTED DADE COUNTY,

FLORIDA. NEW YORK REINTERVIEW [REDACTED] TO DETERMINE WHETHER

INFORMATION MAY BE CORROBORATED BY OTHERS OR [REDACTED] PRESENCE

ON MIAMI, FLORIDA, MACON, GEORGIA, DURING PERTINENT PERIOD MAY BE

VERIFIED. IF [REDACTED] ALLEGATIONS HAVE BASIS, ATLANTA LAUNCH

INTENSIVE INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGATIONS. KEEP BUREAU ADVISED.

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TO SACS ATLANTA AND NEW YORK
FROM DIRECTOR 1P

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, BOMBING OF JEWISH SYNAGOGUE, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,
OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RENYTEL TODAY.

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AND INVESTIGATION AT BILLS TRADING POST. DETERMINE WHETHER []

WANTED DAE COUNTY, FLORIDA. NEW YORK REINTERVIEW

[] TO DETERMINE WHETHER INFORMATION MAY BE CORROBORATED BY OTHERS

OR [] PRESENCE IN MIAMI, FLORIDA, MACON, GEORGIA, DURING

PERTINENT PERIOD MAY BE VERIFIED. IF [] ALLEGATIONS

HAVE BASIS, ATLANTA LAUNCH INTENSIVE INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGATIONS.

KEEP BUREAU ADVISED.

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TO SACS ATLANTA AND NEW YORK
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UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, BOMBING OF JEWISH SYNAGOGUE, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,
OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RENYTEL TODAY.
IMMEDIATELY CONDUCT LOGICAL INVESTIGATION TO PROVE OR DISPROVE
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WITH [REDACTED] IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION OF [REDACTED]
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HAVE BASIS, ATLANTA LAUNCH INTENSIVE INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGATIONS.
KEEP BUREAU ADVISED.
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The Attorney General

October 21, 1958

Director, FBI

**UNKNOWN SUBJECTS;
DYNAMITING OF HEBREW BENEVOLENT
CONGREGATION, 1589 PEACHTREE
STREET, ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958**

The five men who are under indictment for the dynamiting of the Hebrew Benevolent Congregation in Atlanta are still being held without bond.

A hearing on their applications for bond is scheduled for October 22, 1958. It is anticipated that the defense may obtain subpoenas requiring the testimony of witnesses and officials who have participated in the investigation of the case. If such subpoenas are issued, the prosecution will consent to bonds in a reasonable amount in order to avoid premature disclosure of the evidence.

A witness has been located who relates that Wallace Hugh Allen and [redacted] engaged in a long conversation in a restaurant on October 8, 1958. Although they talked in low tones the witness heard dynamite mentioned in the conversation. [redacted]

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Residue from automobiles used by suspects is being rushed to Washington for laboratory examinations and we are redoubling our efforts to resolve all aspects of this investigation.

We are continuing to provide protection for Chief Justice Warren and Justice Frankfurter. There have been no incidents since the threatening telephone call which was received at our New York Office on October 17, 1958.

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1 - Mr. Belmont (detached)
1 - Mr. Nease (detached)

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BY MESSENGER
SENT FROM D. O.
TIME 9:22 AM
DATE 10-21-58
BY 70512

24 OCT 21 1958
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The Attorney General

In connection with the threatened bombing of the Arlington Unitarian Church, Arlington, Virginia, on October 19, 1958, it is noted that [redacted] [redacted] had been scheduled to talk in the church. On the evening of October 20, 1958, [redacted] Keshet Israel Synagogue, Washington, D. C., received an anonymous telephone call from a man who said, "Please advise [redacted] to leave Virginia without delay."

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Concerning the bombing of the Jewish Temple Anshai-Emeth, Peoria, Illinois, on October 14, 1958, additional suspects have been eliminated and we are continuing our investigation to trace the pipe, black powder, and fuse which were used in the bomb.

On October 20, 1958, the Woodruff High School, Peoria, Illinois, received two anonymous telephone calls alleging that bombs had been placed in the school. The premises were searched but no evidence of a bomb was found.

This information has also been furnished to the President.

1 - [redacted]
Deputy Attorney General

1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Evans
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - Mr. Kelly
1 - Mr. H. J. Morgan

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TO SAC ATLANTA

FROM DIRECTOR FBI HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, ONE NINE FIVE EIGHT,
INFORMATION CONCERNING. REURTEL OCTOBER FOURTEEN, ONE NINE
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MEMORANDUM JUNE NINETEEN, ONE NINE FIVE EIGHT RE DYNAMITING
JEWISH SYNAGOGUE, NORTHSIDE DRIVE, ATLANTA, MAY BE IDENTICAL
TO INFORMATION FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] IF NOT, OBTAIN
COMPLETE DETAILS FROM [REDACTED] RE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH THIS
INFORMATION OBTAINED BY HIM. NO DECISION AS TO [REDACTED]
STATUS CAN BE MADE UNTIL THIS QUESTION AND QUESTION OF HIS
POSSIBLE INVOLVEMENT IN JACKSONVILLE BOMBINGS RESOLVED.
ADVISE BUREAU RESULTS OF CONTACT WITH [REDACTED]

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SEE MEMO MR. ROSEN TO THE DIRECTOR, SAME
DATE, SAME CAPTION, JGK:ers.

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FROM DIRECTOR 1P

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(BOMBING)

ATLANTA--FIVE MEN, BELIEVED TO BE MEMBERS OF AN ANTI-SEMITIC UNDERGROUND ORGANIZATION, WERE ARRESTED TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH THE DYNAMITING OF A JEWISH TEMPLE HERE LAST SUNDAY.

POLICE INDICATED TONIGHT THEY WOULD BRING CHARGES WITHIN 24 HOURS AGAINST THE TERRORISTS BELIEVED RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DYNAMITING OF FIVE JEWISH AND NEGRO RELIGIOUS BUILDINGS IN THE SOUTH IN RECENT MONTHS.

ALTHOUGH NOT FORMALLY CHARGED, POLICE SGT. M. W. BLACKWELL SAID THE SUSPECTS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS MEMBERS OF AN ANTI-JEWISH, ANTI-NEGRO GROUP WHICH MET IN ATLANTA MAY 5 AND PLOTTED THE BOMBING OF THE ATLANTA TEMPLE. BLACKWELL SAID FORMAL CHARGES PROBABLY WILL BE BROUGHT AGAINST THE MEN TOMORROW.

THE FIRST SUSPECT WAS ARRESTED THIS AFTERNOON AT HIS \$30,000 HOME IN A FASHIONABLE SECTION OF ATLANTA. POLICE IDENTIFIED HIM AS WALLACE ALLEN, 32, A PRINTING SALESMAN. THEY SAID THEY FOUND A LARGE DRAWING OF A SWASTIKA IN HIS HOME. ALLEN WAS HELD ON A CHARGE OF SUSPICION OF VAGRANCY.

BLACKWELL SAID ALLEN WAS THE LEADER OF A LOCAL HATE-MONGERING GROUP. OTHER MEMBERS WHO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED AND IDENTIFIED AS ATTENDING THE MAY 5 BOMB-PLOT MEETING WERE: GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT, 35; LUTHER KING CORLEY; KENNETH CHESTER GRIFFIN, 32; AND ROBERT A. BOWLING, 25, ALL OF ATLANTA.

POLICE REFUSED TO COMMENT FURTHER ON THEIR INVESTIGATION, BUT IT WAS KNOWN THAT THE INQUIRY WAS SPREADING TO OTHER SOUTHERN CITIES SUCH AS BIRMINGHAM AND HARLAN, KY. WHERE THE DYNAMITE WAS BELIEVED ACQUIRED.

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*Do not understand
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 of these developments.
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 tained in letter to President*

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TO DIRECTOR ATTENTION- ASSISTANT DIRECTOR A. ROSEN

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 6P BOMBING OF HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
ATLANTA, GA. 10-12-58

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE RD.,

NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT, INFO. CONCERNING.

REMY TELEPHONE CALL THIS AM. FOLLOWING IS THE VERBATIM TEXT OF

SIGNED STATEMENT FURNISHED TO DETECTIVES [REDACTED] AND

[REDACTED] ATLANTA PD, BY [REDACTED] QUOTE

[REDACTED] HAS BEEN

INFORMED OF HIS CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS IN THAT HE DOES NOT HAVE TO
MAKE ANY STATEMENT AND THAT IF HE DOES MAKE A STATEMENT IT WILL BE
FREELY AND VOLUNTARY. HE HAS NOT BEEN THEATENED IN ANY WAY OR

OFFERED ANY REWARD TO MAKE A STATEMENT.

HE MAKES THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT-

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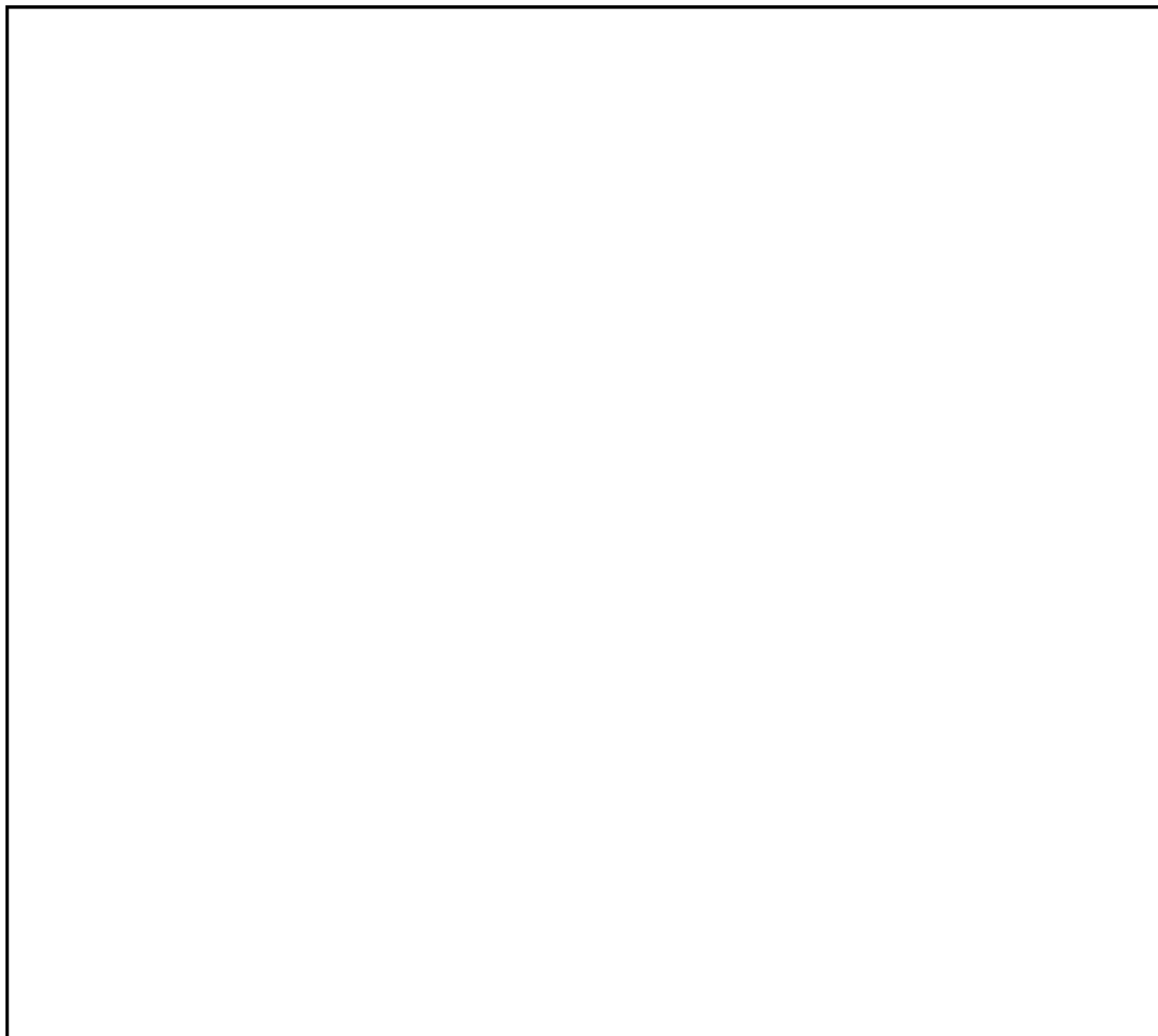
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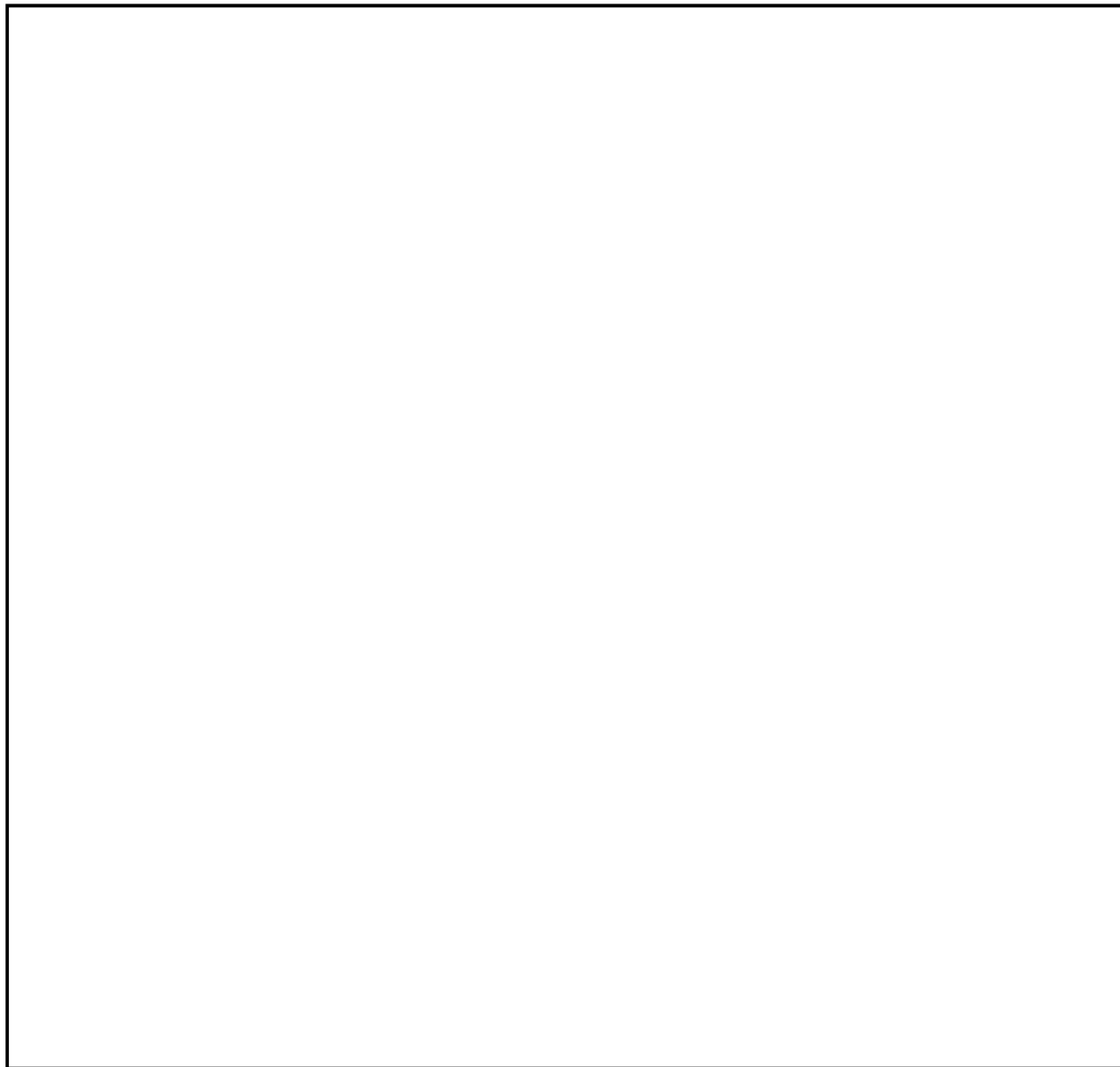
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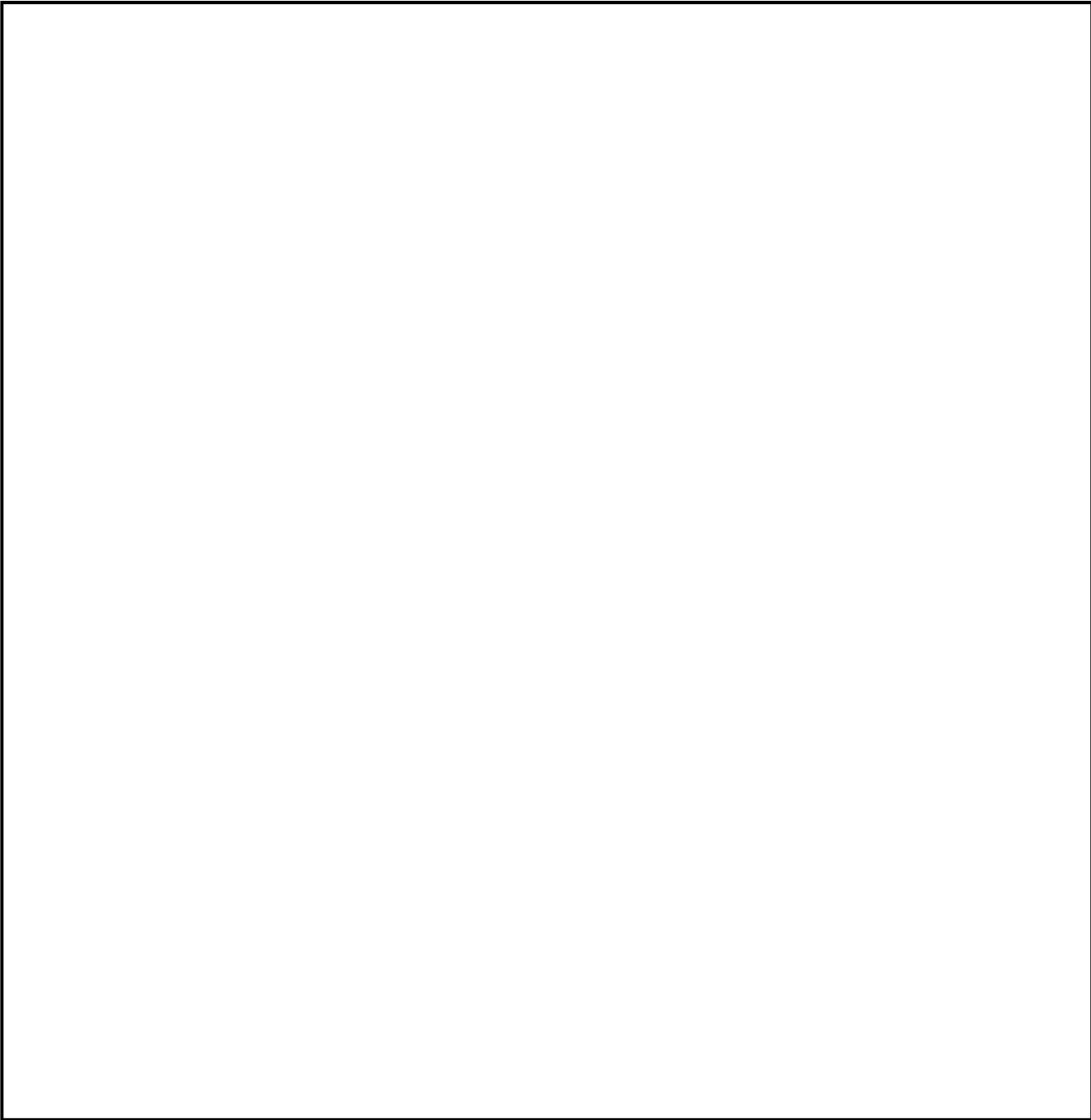
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WITNESSES-

SGT.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Mr. Kelly

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HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
URGENT 10-14-58 1-43PM BVH ATLANTA, GA. - 6-56

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC ATLANTA
FROM SAC DETROIT 3P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACHTREE ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE, INSTANT.
INFORMATION CONCERNING. ^{BUREAU TELETYPE} REBUTEL OCTOBER FOURTEEN AND ^{DETROIT} DE
AIRTEL OCTOBER THIRTEEN LAST. [REDACTED] WAS
INTERVIEWED TODAY VICINITY HIS DETROIT RESIDENCE. [REDACTED]
QUESTIONED REGARDING NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY MEETING
IN ATLANTA IN MAY. HE ADMITTED ATTENDING WITH FOUR OR FIVE
OTHERS WHOM HE SAID HE COULD NOT REMEMBER AND WOULD NOT IDENTIFY.

[REDACTED] SAID THAT THE ONLY TOPICS DISCUSSED WERE WORLD AFFAIRS.

HE DENIED THAT THERE WAS ANY DISCUSSION AT THIS MEETING IN HIS
PRESENCE OF THE BOMBING OF ANY SYNAGOGUE, SCHOOL, OR ANY OTHER
BUILDINGS. [REDACTED] SAID THE NSRP WAS NOT A ^{NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY} HATE ORGANIZATION
AND THE INDIVIDUALS THAT HE KNEW IN THE NSRP ^{20 OCT 1958} WERE NOT INCLINED
TOWARD VIOLENCE. HE SAID THAT HE WAS WILLING ~~TO SIGN A STATEMENT~~
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REGARDING THE MAY MEETING OF THE NSRP BUT THEN QUICKLY SAID THAT HE DID NOT THINK IT WAS NECESSARY AND HE WOULD NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES SIGN SUCH A STATEMENT. [] REITERATED SEVERAL TIMES THAT THE NSRP WAS A POLITICAL PARTY AND THAT HE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE ORGANIZATION. HE DENIED BEING ANTI SEMETIC AND CLAIMED THAT HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE YOUNG DEMOCRATS OF FULTON COUNTY, GA., WHOSE PRESIDENT, A JEWISH PERSON, WAS A CLOSE FRIEND AND ASSOCIATE OF HIS. [] CLAIMED THAT HE WAS HOME ON BOTH OCTOBER ELEVEN AND TWELVE LAST. HE REFUSED TO DIVULGE THE IDENTITY OF ANY PERSONS OUTSIDE HIS FAMILY WHO COULD VERIFY SAME SAYING IT WAS NOT NECESSARY TO INVOLVE OTHERS. [] OFFERED THE OPINION THAT THE BOMBING WHICH HE READ ABOUT IN THE NEWSPAPER WAS THE WORK OF AN AGENT PROVOCATEUR, A MARXIST ZIONIST, WHOSE AIM WAS TO FOMENT UNREST IN THE SOUTH. [] SHOWED CONTEMPT FOR THE BUREAU INVESTIGATING THIS MATTER. HE SAID HE WAS NOT WILLING TO COOPERATE WITH THE BUREAU AND INSPITE OF

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DISAPPROVING OF THE BOMBING HE WAS CRITICAL OF THE FBI
INVESTIGATION AND THE PRESIDENT FOR ISSUING ORDERS FOR SUCH
INVESTIGATION. PRESENTLY ATTENDING COLLEGE, CLASSES
SCHEDULED MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY, AND HAS NO EMPLOYMENT.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Mr. Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS;
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Mr. White, 7133

Mr. Bowles, 7601

Mr. Downing, 6228 IB

Mr. Millen, 7140

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URGENT 10-14-58 8-39 AM EST JEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN ASST. DIRECTOR A. ROSEN

FROM SAC, ATLANTA

Re: Brown v. Board of Education

RE, UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE

PEACHTREE RD., NW, AT, GA., OCT. TWELVE, LAST. INFORMATION

CONCERNING. [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED BY DETECTIVES [REDACTED]

AND [REDACTED] APD AND BUREAU AGENT IN BUREAU OFFICE EVENING

OCT. THIRTEEN LAST. DETECTIVES READ STATEMENT OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] OFFICERS DID NOT PRESS ISSUE WITH

[REDACTED] ANY FURTHER. QUESTIONED [REDACTED]

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DESPITE FACT THAT

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BY [] HAS BEEN RELIABLE AND HE IS STILL CONSIDERED
CAPABLE OF FURNISHING VALUABLE INFORMATION. RECOMMEND
WE CONTINUE HIM AS INFORMANT. SUSPECT GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT
INTERVIEWED DURING EVENING HOURS OCT. THIRTEEN LAST AND EARLY
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MORNING HOURS OCT. FOURTEEN BY AGENTS AND ATLANTA DETECTIVES. ADMITS MEMBERSHIP NSRP AND ASSOCIATION WITH LOCAL NSRP MEMBERS, WALLACE ALLEN AND EMORY BURKE. GENERALLY DENIES PARTICIPATING IN OR HAVING KNOWLEDGE OF PARTICIPANTS IN BOMBING. FURNISHES ALIBI INFORMATION WHICH IS BEING CHECKED OUT THROUGH INVESTIGATION. REFER MYTEL OCT. THIRTEEN LAST RE CAB DRIVER, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] OBSERVING OLD MODEL LIGHT BLUE CAR, THOUGHT TO BE DODGE, CONTAINING TWO MEN SUDDENLY DRIVE OUT OF DRIVE WAY RETAIL CREDIT BUILDING, ACROSS PEACHTREE ST. FROM JEWISH TEMPLE APPROXIMATELY TWO TO TWO FIFTEEN AM OCT. TWELVE LAST.

[REDACTED] OBSERVED THIS CAR DRIVE INTO DRIVE WAY OF TEMPLE AND CONTINUE TOWARD REAR OF TEMPLE BUILDING. GEORGE BRIGHT OWNS NINETEEN FIFTY TWO BLUISH GRAY DESOTO. CAR DRIVER

[REDACTED] HAS VIEWED BRIGHT-S AUTOMOBILE AND STATES LOOKS LIKE CAR HE SAW GO INTO TEMPLE DRIVE WAY BUT OF COURSE CANNOT MAKE POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION. [REDACTED] FIXES TIME HE SAW THIS CAR AT TWO FIFTEEN AM ON BASIS RECOLLECTION LOOKED AT WATCH JUST BEFORE HE OBSERVED CAR AND IT WAS THEN TWO TEN AM. BRIGHT-S CHIEF ALIBI WITNESS IS [REDACTED] GIRL FRIEND, WHO HAS BEEN INTERVIEWED AND GENERALLY CONFIRMED BEING WITH

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BRIGHT DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. BRIGHT HAS BEEN BOOKED BY
APD ON SUSPICION OF VAGRANCY. [REDACTED] BOOKED BY PD ON

[REDACTED] GEORGE BRIGHT-S

CAR HAS BEEN TOWED IN BY APD AND BEING SEARCHED BY THEM. RESULTS
OF SEARCH NOT YET KNOWN. SINCE THIS WILL BE ILLEGAL SEARCH,
AGENTS NOT PARTICIPATING. AFTER SEARCH COMPLETED CAR WILL
BE PROCESSED FOR LATENT FINGERPRINTS BY IDENTIFICATION DIVISION
EXPERT AT REQUEST APD. ROBERT BOWLING INTERVIEWED BY PD
AND BUREAU AGENTS. COMPLETELY UNCOOPERATIVE. DENIES PARTICIPATION
IN OR KNOWLEDGE OF PARTICIPATION IN BOMBING. CLAIMS WAS
HOME IN BED DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF BOMBING AND NAMES
ROOMMATE, [REDACTED] AS ALIBI WITNESS. ADMITS KNOWING
LOCAL NSRP MEMBERS BUT DENIES CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH THEM.
ADMITS FORMER MEMBERSHIP CHRISTIAN ANTI JEWISH PARTY AND
ACQUAINTANCESHIP WITH J. B. STONER AS RESULT THEREOF. STATES
WITHDREW FROM CAJP ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO. BOWLING BOOKED
BY APD ON CHARGE SUSPICION VAGRANCY. APD PRESENTLY HAS IN
CUSTODY ON [REDACTED]
GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT, ROBERT BOWLING, AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] APD PLANNING

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ON ARRESTING WALLACE ALLEN APPARENTLY ON CHARGE SUSPICION
VAGRANCY. [REDACTED] BROTHER OF GEORGE BRIGHT, WHO WAS
IN POLICE CUSTODY, HAS BEEN RELEASED.

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Called Ident

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cc Mr Rosen
Mr Kelly
Mr Trotter

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: October 15, 1958

FROM : A. ROSEN *AR*

SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

Tolson _____
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The Atlanta Office advised there will be no indictments or charges filed tonight against the individuals who are presently being held by the Atlanta Police Department on open charges. I was assured that there would be no action taken concerning the filing of any charges this evening.

Persons presently in custody are George Bright, [redacted]
 [redacted] Wallace Allen, [redacted] and Robert
 Bowling. *Ga*

Bright and [redacted] have been given polygraph tests and will be returned to the jail tonight.

Allen, [redacted] and Bowling have refused to give any consent to a polygraph test, however, this refusal occurred at the jail and they will again be interviewed concerning this matter at the field office. If a consent is granted to take the polygraph test it will be afforded them immediately.

The letter to Chief of Police Jenkins has been prepared. It appears to be in satisfactory form and authorization has been granted to have it delivered to the Chief of Police. The letter reads as follows:

"In response to the request of Superintendent of Detectives [redacted] a polygraph examination was afforded to George Bright on October 15, 1958, in connection with the investigation of the bombing of the Jewish Temple at 1589 Peachtree Street, N. W., Atlanta, Georgia. During the examination the following questions were directed to George Michael Bright as control questions, these

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Nease
- 1 - Mr. Parsons

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questions being listed as Nos. 1 through 12, respectively." (The questions are along the line as follows: 1. Is your name George Michael Bright? 2. Is today Wednesday? 3. Did you have your breakfast today?)

The next paragraph deals with questions concerning the bombing of the Temple and are listed as Questions 20 through 36. These questions for example, are along the following lines. (1. Have you ever been on the premises of the Jewish Temple at Peachtree and Spring Streets? 2. Did you bomb the Jewish Temple? 3. Did you participate in bombing the Temple? 4. Do you have any information as to identities of the persons who bombed the Temple?)

Following the above we then have the observations of the technician. He states, "Marked reactions ordinarily associated with an attempt to deceive the polygraph examiner were noted on the polygraph chart in connection with Questions 27, 28, 33, and 34." (The question No. 27 was Have you ever purchased any dynamite? Question 28 - Have you ever had any dynamite in your possession? Question 33 - Were you ever involved in any bombings? Question 34 - Do you know who bombed the Temple?). Then the examiner indicates that "The reactions observed in response to Questions 20, 21, 25 (A) and (B), 29, 35 and 36 were even more outstanding." (These are questions which have heretofore been initially reported as being marked reactions.) The examiner then states, "These reactions are sufficiently significant to indicate deception. Of further interest the over-all reaction to questions asked in the polygraph test suggest that Bright was attempting to distort his responses to both critical and noncritical questions. Such efforts to distort the pattern of responses may also be an indication of his guilty knowledge of and possible participation in the bombing under investigation. The above is submitted for your assistance in evaluating the evidence which you may possess concerning this matter."

The above letter appears to be acceptable and the Atlanta Office was authorized to deliver the letter to Chief Jenkins.

Johnson also advised me that they have suspect Wallace Allen in the office. They are going to discuss some items which may be significant. who is presently being sought as the recipient of four checks

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made payable to him by Allen. On [redacted] on [redacted]
[redacted] (October 5 is the Clinton bombing), on
[redacted] (Atlanta bombing was October 12, 1958).

In addition extensive detailed rechecks are being made on the following individuals who are the main suspects: George Bright, [redacted] Wallace Allen, [redacted] Robert Bowling. It is noted Bright has been given a polygraph test with significant results and [redacted] polygraph test, according to the examiner, showed no deception. The investigation of these individuals will include investigation of bank accounts, telephone calls, employment, credit checks, etc. This is being done on a concentrated basis by special teams which will be exclusively assigned to this function until completed. *Ga*

[redacted] Fulton County Solicitor, has contacted the SAC and has offered his assistance and has expressed his intention to be of any help which may be within his province.

So far the searches which have been completed have not proved productive of any significant information. They do indicate the suspects have had in their possession considerable inflammatory literature, consisting of booklets, circulars and the like.

ADDENDUM: WEA:ews 10/16/58

Atlanta has advised that the letter setting forth the results of the polygraph examination of George Bright previously set forth in this memorandum has been personally delivered to Chief of Police Jenkins by SAC Johnson.

Polygraph examinations of [redacted] Wallace Allen, and [redacted] have been completed. [redacted] showed no outstanding reaction to polygraph examination. Examination of Allen of no value as Allen was deliberately completely uncooperative during polygraph examination.

All searches have been completed and nothing of an evidentiary nature was found. Anti-Semitic literature and correspondence identifying associates of suspects was taken and is being examined.

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TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: October 14, 1958

FROM : G. A. NEASE

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Attorney Gen

George Sokolsky, while discussing another matter with [redacted] this morning, observed that in the recent bombing cases the Bureau had done the right thing in immediately moving in on the ground floor by sending personnel, laboratory aides, etc., to work with local authorities. Sokolsky stated he felt the Bureau would be in for severe criticism had we not done so as certainly the Bureau would want to know if any element of anarchy existed and that the Bureau cannot assume that none might exist even though extremists and prejudiced or bigoted, or even mentally affected persons, might be behind individual instances where bombings have occurred. Sokolsky understands the Bureau's position and expressed the hope that there might be a quick solution made in one of these type cases for its therapeutic effect.

[redacted] stressed to Sokolsky the complete cooperative assistance which the Director had ordered be given in each and every instance like this so that all possible aid could be given to local authorities looking for the solution of these bombings.

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TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: October 15, 1958

FROM : A. ROSEN *Rw*

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SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

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The following are the developments at Atlanta.

The lie detector examination has been completed on George

X Bright.
Ga

Atlanta has been instructed to keep him in the office for additional inquiry. So far he has shown marked reaction to the following questions:

1. Have you ever been on the premises of the Jewish Temple at Peachtree Street and Spring?
2. Do you have any information as to the identity of the persons who bombed the Temple?
3. Were you ever present at a meeting where the bombing of the Jewish Synagogue was planned or discussed?
4. Did you bomb the Jewish Temple?
5. Did you participate in any way in bombing the Temple?
6. Have you withheld any information?

The reaction of George Bright to the various questions is believed to be significant. The technician states he is obviously trying to defeat the machine. He is highly nervous and consequently the reaction is excellent.

Superintendent of Detectives has requested copies of the questions showing marked reaction. He wants these pertinent questions inasmuch as he has indicated it would appear this is sufficient information to go before the grand jury and obtain an indictment. It certainly would be sufficient, they think, to charge these individuals.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Nease

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Memorandum for the Director

ACTION TAKEN

I instructed Atlanta to immediately prepare on official stationery of the FBI so that the memorandum could be signed by the Special Agent in Charge, a report which is in proper form so that it can be submitted to the police department. It is to be prepared addressed to the Chief of Police rather than the Superintendent. Before it is turned over to anybody, it is to be cleared with the Bureau. Atlanta was instructed not to release it until they have checked with the Bureau as we want to make sure it is in proper form. It might be necessary for the technician to testify before the grand jury concerning this report and, therefore, the technician should be prepared to so testify if requested and only after approval by the Bureau.

Atlanta was instructed to keep Bright in the office and not let him get out of hand. Johnson is staying with Superintendent [redacted] and is going to try not to let him get out of pocket.

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In line with instructions given earlier today, arrangements have been effected for the interview of other suspects with the use of the lie detector. In accordance therewith, [redacted] *Ca* who gave a previous statement concerning the group apparently involved, has consented to the use of the lie detector. It is planned to obtain consent from Wallace Allen and [redacted] Bright's girl friend. She is his alibi for establishing his whereabouts early Sunday morning. *Ca*

INDICTMENT

The local authorities are thinking in terms of getting an indictment against the persons who attended the meeting in May, 1958,

[redacted]
[redacted] No definite action has as yet been taken but it appears the previous activity may be the opening wedge.

We have also approved Agents operating in teams with the Atlanta Police Department who have obtained search warrants against various suspects or associates of suspects. The Atlanta Police

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Department has obtained these search warrants and we are cooperatively with them executing the warrants. (I see no other way of controlling the results of any search in the event they come up with something productive and it would seem we are completely justified in assisting in this matter in view of the fact that the search warrants obtained by the Atlanta Police Department are ostensibly perfectly legal.)

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There will be six searches in Fulton County (Atlanta), three in DeKalb County and two in Cobb County. These immediately adjoin Atlanta. The six to be searched in Fulton County are:

1. [redacted] who has an apartment at [redacted]
[redacted]
2. [redacted] *Atlanta, Ga.* He is a friend of
[redacted] and has been known to stay with him.
3. [redacted] *Atlanta, Ga.* She is an aunt of Robert Bowling,
[redacted]
[redacted] We are trying to locate [redacted]
He is a member of the group and a brother of Robert Bowling who is in custody.
4. The property of [redacted]
He is a suspect. *Atlanta, Ga.*
5. House of [redacted] He is
the husband of [redacted] She is the girl friend of
George Bright. *Atlanta, Ga.*
6. [redacted] He is a suspect. *Atlanta, Ga.*

In DeKalb County:

1. Emory C. Burke, 145 Candler Drive, Decatur, Georgia. He is a suspect.
2. [redacted] an associate of the group.
3. [redacted]
Georgia. He is in custody.

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The two in Cobb County are:

1. Emmett O'Neil ~~Morris~~, Rural Route, Austell, Georgia.

2. [redacted]
Georgia.

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In connection with the above, it is necessary for someone to enforce the search outside of the jurisdiction of the Atlanta Police Department and the Atlanta Office recommends Lieutenant [redacted] of the Georgia Bureau of Investigation (GBI) who can be trusted. They were authorized to have him along.

In line with the discussion this morning, the suggestion was made that a voice recording be obtained of any suspect where possible in order that the United Press International (UPI) employee who was on duty when the call came to the UPI Office from an individual who identified himself as General [redacted] of the Confederate Underground and indicated there was a bombing. The employee thought it was a hoax. He said he could recognize the voice if he heard it again. Two recordings have been made, one without the knowledge of [redacted] and the other with his knowledge in which he states he is General [redacted] of the Confederate Underground. This will be given appropriate attention.

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J. B. ~~Stoner~~ of Savannah has been repeatedly mentioned as a suspect. He is reported to be away from his rooming house on many occasions. He is and has been uncooperative. He is an attorney, although he doesn't practice law at this time. He works for an insurance agency and is on the road considerably. A search warrant can be obtained by Lieutenant [redacted] of the GBI and arrangements can be made to have this search warrant executed at a time when Agents will be available at the scene to render cooperative services. This has been authorized and is presently under way.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: October 15, 1958

FROM : G. A. Nease

SUBJECT:

*Hebrew Benevolent
Atlanta Ga CONGREGATION
10-12-58
Atlanta, Ga*

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Nease _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

[] called at 6:30 p.m. today to advise that he had had an inquiry from [] correspondent from the "Atlanta Constitution, to the effect that there was rumored there might be an announcement from Washington or Atlanta concerning a break in the Atlanta bombing case. [] wanted to be certain to be advised if any announcements were made.

[] told him he knew nothing about it; that if an announcement was made it would not be made by him but would probably come from the FBI. I told [] that I knew of no such contemplated announcement or breaks in the case.

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - []

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

URGENT 10-15-58 4-01PM DS

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS CHARLOTTE AND ATLANTA

FROM SAC LOS ANGELES 1P

HEBREW BENEVOLENT
CONGREGATION

DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE ROAD, NW, 5-1
ATLANTA, GA, OCT. TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RE CHARLOTE
TEL OCT. FOURTEEN LAST AND BUTEL OCT. FIFTEEN LAST. [REDACTED] UNCLE

OF SUBJET [REDACTED] ADVISES HE HAD NO FOREKNOWLEDGE OF

[REDACTED] COMING TO LOS ANGELES BUT WILL ADVISE LOS ANGELES FBI IMMEDIATELY
OF HIS ARRIVAL AND PROMISED FULL COOPERATION. OTHER STOPS PLACED WITH
RELATIVE [REDACTED] AND FRIEND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BORDER CHECK STATIONS AT BLYTHE, CALIF.
AND BARSTOW HAVE BEEN ALERTED TO ADVISE OF [REDACTED] ENTRY INTO CALIF.

DESCRIPTION OF [REDACTED] OBTAINED. NO
DWELLING BELIEVED LOCATED ON THIS PROPERTY. ADDITIONAL CHECKS AND
STOPS BEING PLACED IN THIS AREA. BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE
ADVISED BY TELETYPE OF LOCATION AND INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED]

CORR LN 3 WD 9 SHUD BE "LAST"

END ACK IN ORDER PLS

WA 8-04 PM OK FBI WA WS

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Mr. Rosen

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: 10/15/58

FROM : G. A. Nease

SUBJECT:

Hebrew Benevolent
CONGREGATION -

10-12-58

Atlanta Ga

Tolson	_____
Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Nease	_____
Parsons	_____
Rosen	_____
Tamm	_____
Trotter	_____
W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Holloman	_____
Gandy	_____

[redacted] called today stating he had received inquiry from an NBC reporter to the effect that they had a report that the FBI in Atlanta was going to arrest General [redacted] in connection with the Atlanta bombing. [redacted] told him that he knew nothing about such a report.

I told him that, of course, we had given out no information to this effect. Mr. Rosen advises that we are not looking for anyone by this name in connection with the bombing.

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1 - Mr. Rosen

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Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Belmont _____
Mr. Mohr _____
Mr. Nease _____
Mr. Parsons _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Tamm _____
Mr. Trotter _____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Mr. Holloman _____
Miss Gandy _____

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Bombing of Hebrew Benevolent
Congregation ATLANTA, GA 10/12/58
URGENT 10-16-58 1-17 PM

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, ATLANTA
FROM, SAC, LOUISVILLE 3P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ATLANTA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST.
RE LS TEL OCTOBER FOURTEEN LAST. [REDACTED] VOLUNTARILY

CONTACTED LS FBI ON OCTOBER SIXTEEN FURNISHING LETTER WHICH HE SAID
WAS FROM LINCOLN ROCKWELL, ARLINGTON, VA. [REDACTED] REFERRED TO NEWSPAPER
REPORTS OF A LETTER FOUND BY ATLANTA PD AND SAID THAT HIS LETTER PLUS
HIS EXPLANATION WOULD "CLEAR" PERSONS ARRESTED ATLANTA IN CONNECTION
THIS BOMBING. [REDACTED] NOTED THAT NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY REFERS TO SUCH

TERMS AS [REDACTED] FINANCIAL ANGEL, BIG BLAST, THE BOYS FROM NEW YORK
COMING DOWN AND LOCAL CITIZENS HAVING NO GUTS. ATLANTA LETTER
REPORTEDLY MAILED PRIOR TO ARREST OF INDIVIDUALS FOR PICKETING IN
ATLANTA IN JULY. [REDACTED] STATED THAT HIS LETTER DATED SEPTEMBER

TWELVE LAST WAS SAME AS ATLANTA LETTER AND ALTHOUGH UNSIGNED,
WAS FROM LINCOLN ROCKWELL, ARLINGTON, VA. [REDACTED] LETTER REFERS
TO LITERATURE BEING SENT FROM ROCKWELL TO [REDACTED] TO DIFFICULTY

ROCKWELL IS HAVING WITH FINANCIAL ANGEL WHO IS WELCHING ON HIS PART OF
BARGAIN AND SAYS THAT HE, ROCKWELL, GAVE "THEM" A GOOD
BLAST IN NEWSPAPER INTERVIEW. [REDACTED] STATES ROCKWELL-S FINANCIAL

ANGEL IS OWNER AND PUBLISHER OF AMERICAN MERCURY MAGAZINE, WHOSE NAME

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Mr. Rosen

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[] COULD NOT FURNISH BUT WHOM HE DESCRIBES AS A TEXAS MILLIONAIRE. BACKER SET LINCOLN ROCKWELL UP IN A HOME WITH OFFSET PRINTING EQUIPMENT. ROCKWELL HAS BEEN TURNING OUT ANTI- SEMITIC LITERATURE " BY THE TON." THE WELCHING REFERS TO THE [] REFUSAL TO PAY LEGAL EXPENSES OF PICKETS ARRESTED ATLANTA. REFERENCE TO GETTING THE BOYS TO DO THEIR SHARE REFERS TO ATLANTA PICKETING. BLAST REFERS TO NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY ON STATEMENT FOR PUBLICATION MADE BY LINCOLN ROCKWELL, NOT TO BOMBING. THE BOYS REFERS TO HUNGARIAN REFUGEES OTHERWISE UNIDENTIFIED BY [] WHO PICKETED IN WASHINGTON, D. C. FOR ROCKWELL. [] STATES ROCKWELL-S REFERENCE TO LOCAL CITIZENS HAVING NO GUTS REFERS TO WASHINGTON, D.C. AND NOT TO ATLANTA.

[] REASONS THAT LETTER FOUND BY ATLANTA PD DOES NOT REFER TO BOMBING BUT TO PICKETING. [] MAINTAIN S THAT PERSONS ARRESTED IN ATLANTA ARE INNOCENT, THAT THEIR ARRESTS ARE RIDICULOUS, THAT " SOMEONE IS HAVING A BIG LAUGH." [] STATES HE HAS BEEN IN TOUCH
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WITH WALLACE ALLEN BY LD PHONE ON OCTOBER THIRTEEN AND WITH [REDACTED]
WIFE ON OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST. LETTER FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] WAS
PHOTOSTATED , COPIES BEING FURNISHED ATLANTA AND BUREAU BY
AIRTEL. [REDACTED] KEPT ORIGINAL.

END AND ACK. *11-13*

WA 2-29 PM OK FBI WA JS

OK FBI AT ESC

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Mr. Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

I URGENT 10-17-58 5-57 PM. EST. JWA

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, ATLANTA

FROM SAC, MIAMI 1P

HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION. ATLANTA, GA.
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. INVESTIGATION REVEALS FOLLOWING POSSIBLE
SUSPECTS INSTANT BOMBING AT ST. PETERSBURG, FLA., ON
OCTOBER TWELVE LAST AT TIMES THAT WOULD PRECLUDE THIER
INVOLVEMENT. [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FURNISHED NO DATA INDICATING

[REDACTED] HAS BEEN AWAY FROM HIS RESIDENCE AREA SINCE
SEPTEMBER TWENTY-SEVEN LAST DUE TO HIS PHYSICAL CONDITION.

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WA 7-00PM OK FBI WA CRA

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cc: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: October 17, 1958

FROM : G. A. Nease

SUBJECT:

*Hebrew Benevolent Congregation,
Atlanta, Ga.*

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Belmont	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mohr	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Nease	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Parsons	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rosen	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Tamm	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Trotter	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
W.C. Sullivan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Tele. Room	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

For record purposes, [redacted] of the Baltimore Evening Sun called concerning the article in the Washington Post this morning with reference to the role of George Lincoln Rockwell and [redacted] in connection with the Atlanta Bombing.

I told him there was no comment we could make concerning the matter.

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1--Mr. Rosen

1-- [redacted]

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TO SAC, BALTIMORE

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (62-105023)

WALLACE ALLEN, GEORGE BRIGHT, [REDACTED]

ROBERT BOWLING, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE STREET, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. REURTEL OCTOBER SEVENTEEN LAST. BUREAU CANNOT RELY ONLY ON STATEMENTS MADE BY SUSPECT OR RELATIVES OF SUSPECT AND WHEREABOUTS [REDACTED] PERTINENT PERIOD OCTOBER TWELVE LAST SHOULD BE VERIFIED OR DISPROVED THROUGH INVESTIGATION. BA ADVISE IF [REDACTED] CONNECTED AMERICAN MERCURY MAGAZINE. WFO, RICHMOND, ATLANTA ADVISED.

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- 1 - Richmond
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W. C. Sullivan

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URGENT 10-29-58 5-55 PM JG

TO - SAC BALTIMORE

FROM - DIRECTOR 1P

WALLACE ALLEN, GEORGE BRIGHT, [REDACTED]
ROBERT BOWLING, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACHTREE STREET, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST,
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Mr. Tolson
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Nease
Mr. Parsons
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tamm
Mr. Trotter
Mr. W.C. Sullivan

URGENT 10-14-58 1-37AM EST JEL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC-S BIRMINGHAM AND DETROIT

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 3P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACHTREE ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE, INSTANT.
INFORMATION CONCERNING. INTERVIEWS WITH GEORGE BRIGHT AND
ROBERT BOLING CONTINUING. INTERVIEWS UNPRODUCTIVE SO FAR.

FURNISHED SIGNED STATEMENT TO ATLANTA

PD IN WHICH HE STATES

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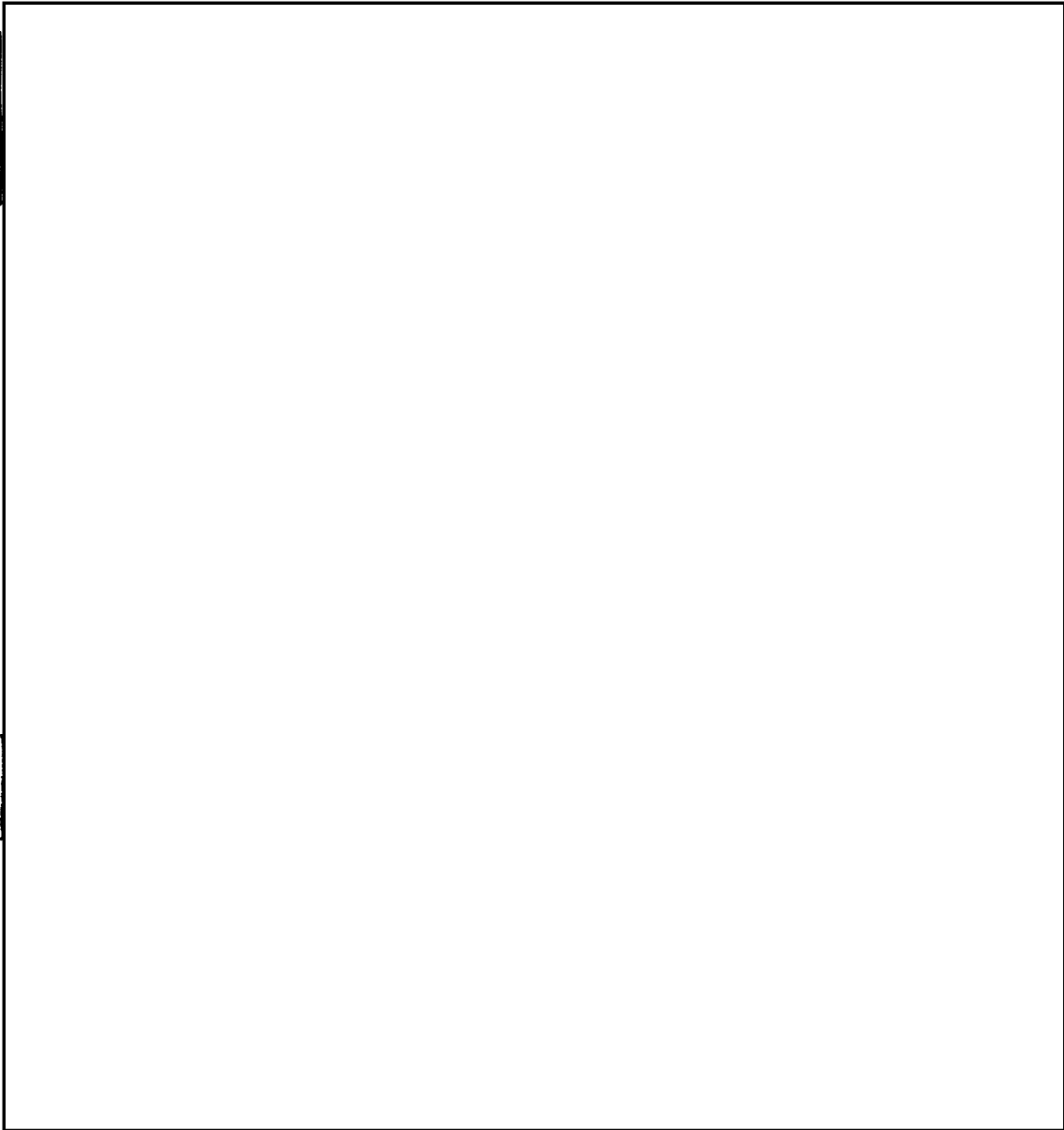
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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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Interview with [redacted] completed. [redacted]
generally denied knowledge of dynamiting of Jewish
temple. Police Department doesn't know [redacted] is
FBI informant. [redacted] being continued as Bureau
informant on Atlanta recommendation.

Suspect Bright interviewed,
denies any knowledge, gives
alibi which is being
thoroughly run out.

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Mr. Mohr _____
Mr. Nease _____
Mr. Parsons _____
Mr. Rosen ☒
Mr. Tamm _____
Mr. Trotter _____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Mr. Holloman _____
Miss Gandy _____

URGENT 10-17-58 1-05 AM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, KNOXVILLE AND JACKSONVILLE
FROM SAC, ATLANTA 7P

HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, FIFTEEN EIGHTYNINE PEACHTREE
STREET, N. W., ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE, LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER FOURTEEN, LAST, RESCINDING AUTHORITY
TO REIMBURSE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PENDING CLARIFICATION OF
DISCREPANCY IN STATEMENTS BY [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] A REVIEW OF REPORTS FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]

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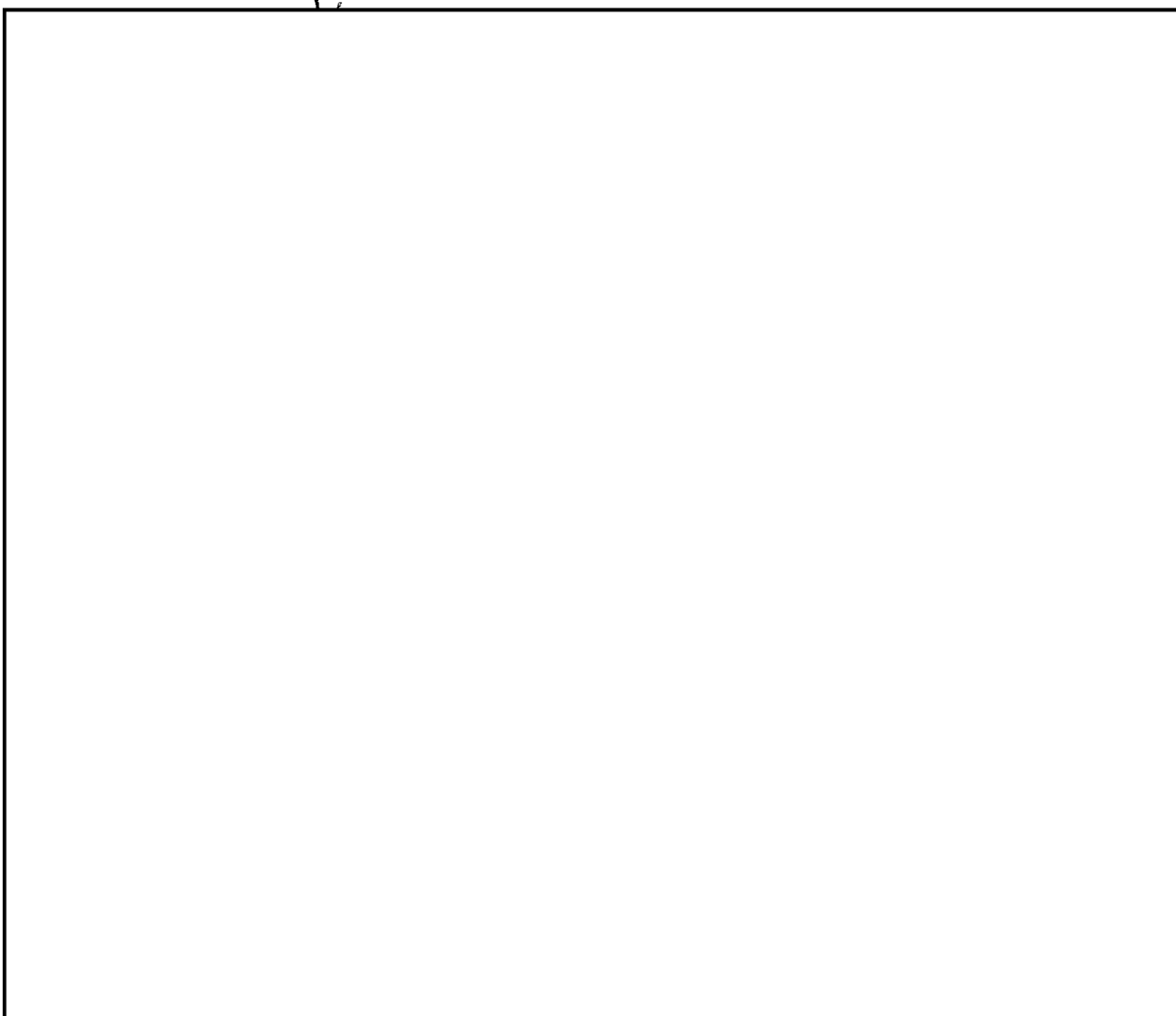
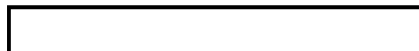
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AS THE BUREAU IS AWARE, [REDACTED] WAS AFFORDED A POLYGRAPH

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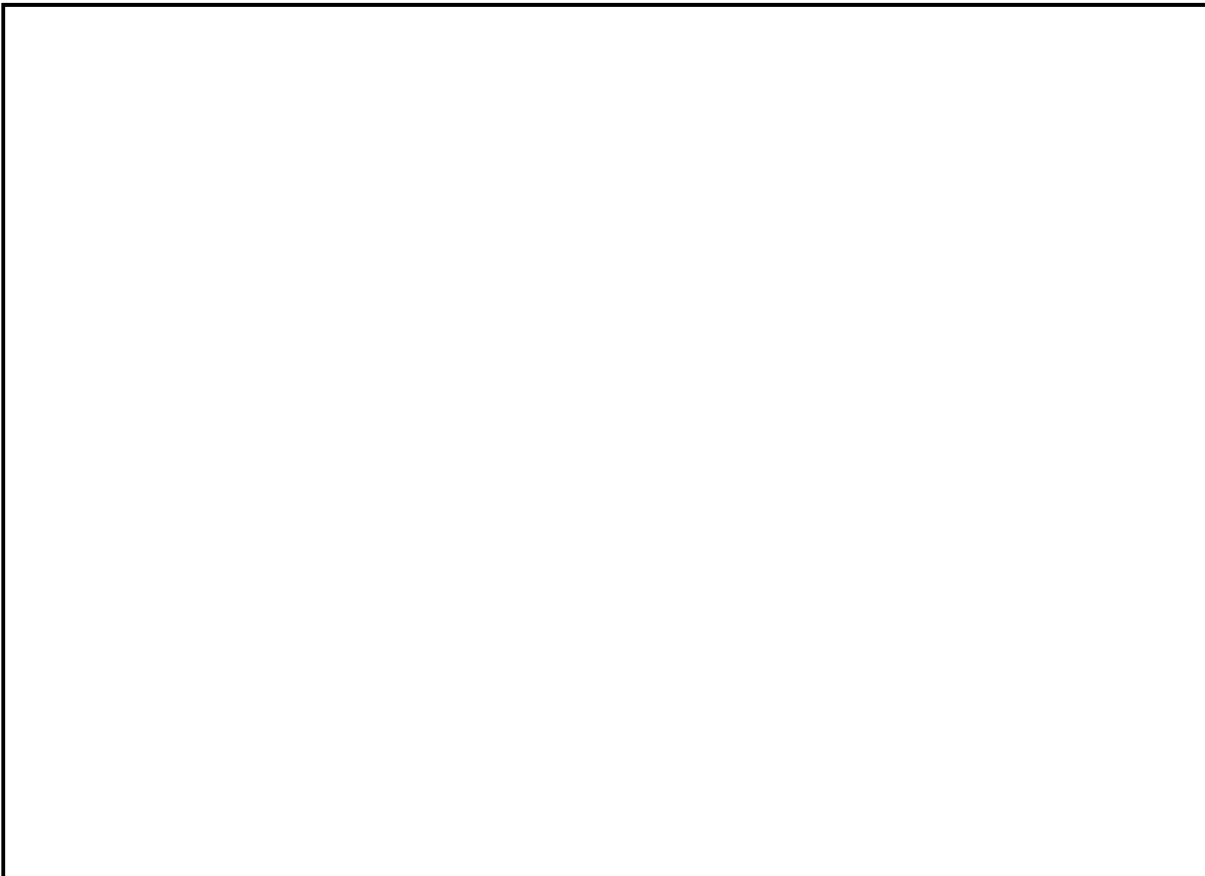
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[REDACTED] BUT HE HAS FURNISHED A TREMENDOUS
VOLUME OF INFORMATION, MUCH OF WHICH HAS BEEN VERIFIED THROUGH
INDEPENDENT SOURCES. IT IS NOTED THAT HE HAS FURNISHED SEVENTY
WRITTEN REPORTS DURING THE LAST BUREAU AUTHORITY PERIOD.
IT WILL FURTHER BE NOTED THAT THE FIVE PERSONS ARRESTED FOR
PICKETING IN JULY NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT AND NOW
CONSIDERED SUSPECTS IN INSTANT CASE FIRST
CAME TO THE ATTENTION OF THIS OFFICE THROUGH [REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] THE BUREAU HAS BEEN ADVISED OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATEMENT AS TO HIS WHEREABOUTS DURING

RECENT BOMBINGS AND NOTHING HAS BEEN DEVELOPED KNOWN TO THIS OFFICE WHICH WOULD SUBSTANTIATE THE STATEMENT REPORTEDLY MADE TO THE CHARLOTTE INFORMANT. THE BUREAU WILL ADVISE SHOULD THEY DESIRE INFORMANT TO COVER THE KLAN RALLY AT VALDOSTA, GA., OR SHOULD HIS SERVICES BE DISCONTINUED. I WHOLEHEARTEDLY RECOMMEND THE CONTINUANCE OF THIS INFORMANT AS HIS PAST PERFORMANCE AND ATTITUDE HAS INDICATED HIM TO BE HONEST, TRUSTWORTHY, AND CERTAINLY PRODUCTIVE. THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT THE MANY QUESTIONS ASKED HIM RECENTLY CONCERNING HIS ACTIVITIES HAS INDICATED TO HIM THAT HE IS UNDER SUSPICION BY THE FBI WHICH OF COURSE, DOES NOT TEND TO ENCOURAGE HIM TO COOPERATE TO THE FULLEST.

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FOR THE INFORMATION OF JACKSONVILLE,

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MR. ROSEN
~~AND SUPERVISOR~~
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 10/16/58

ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

FROM : SAC, SAVANNAH (62-823)

SUBJECT: HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION
 UNSUBS; Bombing of the Jewish
 Temple, 1589 Peachtree Road, N.W.,
 Atlanta, Ga., 10/12/58
 INFO CONCERNING
 (Atlanta 00).

UNSUB; Dynamiting of Clinton,
 Tenn. High School, 10/5/58
 INFO CONCERNING
 (Knoxville 00)

#232 452
 ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
 HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
 DATE 4/28/83 BY SP8BJJ/mw

Re Knoxville tel to Bureau, 10/6/58, and Atlanta tel to
 Bureau, 10/12/58.

Re: J. B. STONER

Transmitted to Bureau under separate cover via Registered
 Mail are four soil samples obtained from the automobile
 of J. B. STONER on 10/12/58.

These specimens were obtained while instant automobile was
 under surveillance and parked unoccupied on a public street
 in Savannah, Ga. They are being submitted for possible
 investigative assistance in identifying the unknown sub-
 jects in captioned cases.

Atlanta and Knoxville are requested to submit to the Bureau
 any soil specimens obtained in the vicinity of captioned
 bombings for comparison with soil obtained from the auto-
 mobile of J. B. STONER.

- ③ - Bureau
- 2 - Atlanta
- 2 - Knoxville
- 1 - Package (REGISTERED MAIL)
- 3 - Savannah

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LEWIS M. RESS
COUNSELOR AT LAW
1400 N. E. 125TH STREET
NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

MEMBER
FLORIDA BAR
NEW YORK BAR

October 14, 1958

TELEPHONES
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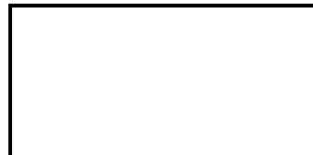
Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It is with great consternation that the Jewish people of
the South view the recent bombings of our religious institutions.

I know that I speak on behalf of all my friends and acquaintances in urging the Federal Bureau of Investigation to fully investigate and bring to swift justice the perpetrators of these un-American crimes and to do its utmost to prohibit similar occurrences in the future.

Respectfully yours,



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URGENT 10-17-58 5 5/45 PM CST MM

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, ATLANTA

FROM SAC, LITTLE ROCK 2P

BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, FIFTEEN EIGHTYNINE PEACHTREE
STREET NORTHWEST, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST.

[REDACTED] LETTERS TO THE EDITOR, OF ARKANSAS
DEMOCRAT DAILY NEWSPAPER, FURNISHED THIS AFTERNOON LITTLE
ROCK OFFICE WITH ANONYMOUS LETTER DATED OCTOBER THIRTEEN,
FIFTYEIGHT, RECEIVED BY HIS NEWSPAPER OCTOBER SIXTEEN OR
SEVENTEENTH INSTANT. LETTER MAILED LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,
OCTOBER THIRTEEN, FIFTYEIGHT, ADDRESSED QUOTE GENTLEMEN
UNQUOTE STATED A SYNAGOGUE IS TO BE BLOWN UP IN LITTLE
ROCK IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND INDICATES THE BOMB WILL GO
OFF WHILE THE JEWS ARE IN THE BUILDINGS. LETTER ALSO STATES
ANOTHER SYNAGOGUE IN ATLANTA IS TO BE BOMBED SOON. SIGNED
PEACE LOVING FRIEND. LITTLE ROCK POLICE DEPARTMENT,
LITTLE ROCK RABBIS IN CHARGE OF LOCAL SYNAGOGUES, U. S.
ATTORNEY, AND CIC, LITTLE ROCK, ADVISED. LETTER APPEARS
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TO BE SIMILAR TO LETTER RECEIVED BY ARKANSAS GAZETTE ON
OCTOBER SIXTEEN LAST AND FORWARDED TO BUREAU BY LITTLE
ROCK AIRTEL DATED OCTOBER SIXTEEN CAPTIONED AS ABOVE. THIS
LETTER IS ALSO BEING FORWARDED TODAY TO FBI LABORATORY
AMSD. LOS ANGELES ADVISED BY AIR MAIL.

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CORRECT TIME IS 4/45 PM CST

END AND ACK IN ORDER

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Called Laboratory

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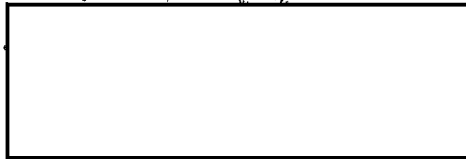
cc - Parsons

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Dear

Your letter of October 14, 1958, has been received, and I want you to know that I fully understand the concern which prompted you to communicate with me.

I have instructed my representatives to give this matter their utmost attention and to assist local officers in every way possible. The complete cooperative services of the FBI are being made available to further assist local law enforcement authorities.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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FBI

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URGENT 10-17-58 8-00 PM JC

TO DIRECTOR AND SAC, ATLANTA

FROM SAC, NEW YORK 2P

UNSUB., BOMBING OF JEWISH SYNAGOGUE, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,

TEN TWELVE FIFTY EIGHT., INFORMATION CONCERNING.

[REDACTED] ASSISTANT DEPUTY WARDEN, BRONX HOUSE
OF DETENTION FOR MEN, BRONX, NY, TODAY ADVISED THAT
ONE [REDACTED] ARRESTED FOR

[REDACTED] CONFIDENTIALLY ADVISED THAT HE KNEW
THE WHEREABOUTS OF [REDACTED] AND ONE FNU [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TOLD [REDACTED] THAT HE HAD MET [REDACTED]

HE ALSO TOLD [REDACTED]

AND HAD MET [REDACTED] HE ADVISED THAT HE WOULD GIVE ALL
DETAILS TO THE FBI BUT TO NO ONE ELSE. [REDACTED] STATED

THAT A RECENT NEWSPAPER ARTICLE HAD INDICATED THAT
AUTHORITIES WERE LOOKING FOR [REDACTED]

WILL NOT BE INTERVIEW UACB. [REDACTED]

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STREET, NYC, ADVISED THAT ONE OF HIS EMPLOYEES IS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THE BROTHER OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RECENTLY TOLD HIM THAT [REDACTED] RESIDES IN

[REDACTED] AND IS EMPLOYED AS A [REDACTED]

FOR SOME COMPANY IN GEORGIA. [REDACTED] STATED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] MAY COME TO NY AND HE INDICATED THAT HE WOULD
COOPERATE IN LOCATING HIM IF THE BUREAU SO DESIRED.

NO ACTION BEING TAKEN ON THIS MATTER UACB.*

END AND ACK PLS

WA NY R5 WA JHM

10-18-58

10:10 am

* Supervision

NYC instructed to
have him interviewed
& Sotal

TO: MR. ROSEN
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URGENT 10-17-58 5-58 PM CAB
TO DIRECTOR, AND SAC, ATLANTA
FROM SAC, CHARLOTTE

BOMBING OF
DYNAMITING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT,
INFORMATION CONCERNING. RE LA TEL OCTOBER SIXTEEN, FIFTYEIGHT.

[REDACTED] RESIDENT OF [REDACTED]
PROPERTY STATED THAT ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

MECKLENBURG COUNTY POLICE ADVISED OF POSSIBILITY THIS DYNAMITE
IN DANGEROUS CONDITION BUILT ON OR NEAR [REDACTED] OCT 21 1958
DESCRIBED LA TEL. [REDACTED] STATES NO RECOLLECTION
OF SELLING DYNAMITE TO [REDACTED] AND NO RECORD OF SALE DURING

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NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT. [REDACTED] NOT YET LOCATED
FOR INTERVIEW, BUT CHARLOTTE OBSERVER NEWSPAPER OF OCTOBER
EIGHT, FIFTYEIGHT, REFLECTS [REDACTED] ADVERTISED FOR PERSONS

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SUBSTANTIATES
INFORMATION RE TEL AND NOT ACQUAINTED WITH [REDACTED] BUT
TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED [REDACTED] AFTER SEEING
AD IN CHARLOTTE NEWSPAPER. [REDACTED] WAS SICK ON DEPARTURE
DATE AND UNABLE TO ACCOMPANY [REDACTED] LOS ANGELES ADVISED
BY MAIL.

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AT WILL BE ADVISED

WA 7-01 PM OK FBI WA JHM

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Mr. Kelly*
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URGENT 10-18-58 8-58 PM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 3P

WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ET AL, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT
NINE PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFO
CONCERNING. DAILY SUMMARY. [REDACTED] WHO OWNES SMALL

COTTAGE WHERE [REDACTED]

AFTER SEEING [REDACTED] PICTURE PUBLISHED IN NEWSPAPERS AND

TELEVISION, CALLED ATLANTA PD LATE SATURDAY NIGHT AND [REDACTED]

APPREHENDED AT ONE TWENTY AM THIS DATE RESIDING [REDACTED]

IT IS NOTED THIS

IS APPROXIMATELY A THREE MINUTE NORMAL WALK FROM TEMPLE. BOTH

[REDACTED] AND WIFE BROUGHT TO ATLANTA OFFICE WHERE BOTH REFUSED

TO BE INTERVIEWED, BOTH REFUSED LIE DETECTOR TEST, AND [REDACTED]

REFUSED TO FURNISH SAMPLE VOICE RECORDING. SEARCH OF [REDACTED]

RESIDENCE BY ATLANTA PD CONDUCTED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS EXCEPT

LOCATION OF PAWN TICKET DATED MARCH TWENTY TWO INSTANT ON WHICH

APPEARED ROUGH INKED SKETCH, SIGNIFICANCE UNKNOWN. SKETCH

BEING FORWARDED TO LABORATORY. SEARCH OF [REDACTED] OCT 21 1958

ATLANTA PD MADE WITH NO SIGNIFICANT RESULTS. HOWEVER, AGENTS

HAVE SECURED SCRAPINGS FROM INSIDE OF CAR AND TRUNK AREA AND

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THESE SCRAPINGS BEING FORWARDED LABORATORY FOR ANALYSIS AS TO WHETHER IT CONTAINS ANY RESIDUE ASSOCIATED WITH DYNAMITE OR OTHER EXPLOSIVES. EXTENSIVE NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION AROUND RESIDENCE OF RICHARD BOWLING CONDUCTED IN EFFORT TO DEVELOP PERTINENT INFORMATION OCCURRING THAT AREA ON MORNING OF BOMBING WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. [REDACTED] AT OUR TELEPHONIC REQUEST VOLUNTARILY CAME INTO ATLANTA OFFICE AND WAS INTERVIEWED IN LENGTHLY DETAIL BY CAPTAIN [REDACTED] ATLANTA PD, AND MYSELF. FURNISHED NOTHING OF SIGNIFICANCE OTHER THAN A DETAILED RESUME OF HOW HE BECAME AFFILIATED WITH OTHER NSRP MEMBERS AND EXTENT OF HIS PARTICIPATION IN NSRP ACTIVITIES. INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE. SURVEILLANCE OF [REDACTED] DISCONTINUED.

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[REDACTED] PLANNING TO STAY AT RESIDENCE OF FATHER IN LITHONIA, GEORGIA, AND PROMISES TO REPORT WHEREABOUTS TO US DAILY. THIS AFTERNOON WALLACE H. ALLEN SENT WORD THROUGH JAILER THAT HE DESIRED TO SEE FBI AGENTS. ALLEN IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEWED AT FULTON COUNTY JAIL AND FURNISHED DETAILS OF HIS ACTIVITIES IN NSRP AND ALSO DETAILS RE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF BOMBING. THE DETAILS RE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT BOMBING PERIOD WERE IDENTICAL TO THOSE PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED BY HIM;
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BUT DISCLAIMED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF PLANS TO DYNAMITE ANY SYNAGOGUE INCLUDING INSTANT TEMPLE AND MAINTAINED COMPLETE INNOCENCE.

[REDACTED] LOCATED AT HIS RESIDENCE AND ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR HIM TO VOLUNTARILY APPEAR ATLANTA OFFICE NINE THIRTY AM MONDAY FOR FURTHER INTERVIEW. IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INTERVIEW WE WILL ENDEAVOR TO AFFORD POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION AND SECURE VOICE RECORDING. CONSIDERATION BEING GIVEN TO FACT THAT [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] AT STANDARD OIL SERVICE STATION ACROSS FROM TEMPLE, WHO REPORTED NEGRO IN NINETEEN FIFTY SIX PONTIAC APPEARING AT STATION ASKING DIRECTIONS TO TEMPLE JUST BEFORE BOMBING, MIGHT BE LYING. THEREFORE, ARRANGEMENTS MADE TODAY FOR [REDACTED] TO APPEAR AT ATLANTA OFFICE ELEVEN AM MONDAY FOR POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION.

[REDACTED] OUT OF TOWN OVER WEEKEND, BUT EFFORTS WILL BE MADE TO CONTACT HIM MONDAY MORNING FOR SAME PURPOSE. IN ABSENCE OF UNUSUAL DEVELOPMENTS, NO DAILY SUMMARY WILL BE SUBMITTED OCTOBER NINETEEN INSTANT.

END ACK PLS

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

cc - Parsons

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URGENT 10-18-58 3-01 PM EST FL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ET AL, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT
NINE PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. RE
BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL THIS DATE. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
STATION WSB, ATLANTA, AND [REDACTED] OF THE FULTON
COUNTY GRAND JURY, WHICH YESTERDAY RETURNED INDICTMENT OF
SUBJECTS, ADVISED TODAY THAT AT APPROXIMATELY NINE PM, OCTOBER
SEVENTEEN LAST, HE RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL AT HIS RESIDENCE.
THE CALLER, A MAN, STATED QUOTE THIS IS THE CONFEDERATE UNDER-
GROUND. WE ARE GOING TO KILL EVERYONE OF YOU MEN WHO PUT
THOSE INNOCENT MEN IN JAIL. YOU HAVE SEVEN MINUTES TO GET OUT
OF YOUR HOUSE. END QUOTE. THE UNIDENTIFIED CALLER HUNG UP
BEFORE ANY COMMENT COULD BE MADE. APD NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY AND
MAINTAINED ALL NIGHT SURVEILLANCE. ATLANTA CONSTITUTION, THIS
MORNING, REPORTED GRAND JURY [REDACTED] HAD ALSO
RECEIVED A THREAT. EFFORTS TO LOCATE [REDACTED] TO CONFIRM THIS
UNSUCCESSFUL AS [REDACTED] APPARENTLY, FROM INFORMATION DEVELOPED
THROUGH NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION AND INVESTIGATION AT PLACE
OF EMPLOYMENT, HAS LEFT ATLANTA FOR WEEKEND.

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URGENT 10-19-58 8-08 PM JGC

TO DIRECTOR, SAC ATLANTA AND SAC MIAMI
FROM SAC, NEW YORK 5 P

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, BOMBING OF JEWISH SYNAGOGUE, ATLANTA,
GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RE
BUREAU TELETYPE AND ATLANTA TELETYPE DATED TEN NINETEEN
LAST. [REDACTED] REINTERVIEWED TODAY AND ADVISED THAT
IN NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN HE WAS EMPLOYED AS A [REDACTED] FOR

MIAMI, BY ONE ^{First name} [REDACTED] PROPRIETOR. DURING THIS TIME

[REDACTED] WAS ALSO IN BUSINESS IN
NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT IN MIAMI DEALING IN SCRAP IRON. THIS
BUSINESS HAD NO ADDRESS BUT HE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TO THE ATLANTIC JUNK SHOP LOCATED ON NORTHWEST
RIVER DRIVE, MIAMI, AND ALSO TO THE UNITED SCRAP METALS,
SAME STREET. [REDACTED] ALSO WORKED IN NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN

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FOR ONE [REDACTED] FOR ABOUT FOUR MONTHS BUILDING A CLINIC
ON SEVENTH AVENUE AND NORTHWEST TWENTY ONE²¹ TERRACE, MIAMI.

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[REDACTED] WORKED FOR ONE [REDACTED] IN

POMPANO, FLORIDA, IN NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT. [REDACTED] BOUGHT

A NINETEEN FORTYEIGHT¹⁹⁴⁸ PLYMOUTH STATION WAGON FROM JOHN

FOGG AUTO SALES, SEVENTEENTH AVENUE AND TWENTYNINTH

STREET, MIAMI, IN NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN AND THEN BOUGHT A

NINETEEN FORTY EIGHT INTERNATIONAL TRUCK FROM THIS COMPANY

IN NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT. THE INTERNATIONAL TRUCK WAS

REPOSSESSED BY THE COMPANY BECAUSE HE DID NOT MEET

PAYMENTS. [REDACTED] LIVED AT VARIOUS ROOMING HOUSES AND

MOTELS IN MIAMI, ADDRESSES NOT KNOWN. [REDACTED] STATED THAT

IN MAY OF NINE TEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY EIGHT HE AND HIS

WIFE [REDACTED] WHO IS PRESENTLY RESIDNING AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WITH HER SISTER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DROVE FROM MIAMI TO MACON, GEORGIA, AND STAYED FOR

TWO NIGHTS AT THE MACON HOTEL, MACON, GEORGIA. [REDACTED]

STATED HIS WIFE WAS NOT AWARE OF THE PURPOSES OF THE TRIP

TO MACON, GEORGIA, OTHER THAN HE WAS LOOKING FOR WORK. AT

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THE MACON HOTEL [] ASKED THE CLERK QUOTE IF THEY NEED ANY TRUCK DRIVERS AT FORT VALLEY, GEORGIA UNQUOTE. THIS WAS DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN TO HIM BY [] LAST NAME UNKNOWN [] STATED THAT HE WAS APPROACHED BY AN UNKNOWN MAN OF SPANISH EXTRACTION AT THE MACON HOTEL LOBBY AND WAS BROUGHT BY THIS UNKNOWN MAN TO A PARKING LOT BEHIND THE GREYHOUND BUS STATION ABOUT ONE HALF BLOCK FROM THE MACON HOTEL. IN THIS PARKING LOT HE AGAIN MET [] THE UNKNOWN MAN THEN DEPARTED. AT THIS LOCATION HE RECEIVED THE PROPOSITION MENTIONED IN PREVIOUS TELETYPES IN THIS CASE. [] STATED HE MET NO ONE ELSE IN MACON, GEORGIA, OTHER THAN [] AND THE UNIDENTIFIED PERSON WHO IS DESCRIBED AS A []

[]
[] WITH REFERENCE TO A CONVERSATION IN JUNE 1958 OF NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT BETWEEN [] AND AN UNIDENTIFIED MAN REGARDING A PROPOSED BOMBING OF A SYNAGOGUE IN MIAMI, [] NOW STATES THAT HE OVERHEARD THIS CONVERSATION IN A BAR AT A RACETRACK IN HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA. HE STATED THAT HE HEARD [] REFER TO A TEMPLE ON WASHINGTON AVENUE, MIAMI

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BEACH, WHICH WAS THE BIGGEST DOWN THERE. HE STATED THAT HE ASSUMED THAT THEY WERE TALKING ABOUT A JEWISH TEMPLE AND WERE GOING TO BLOW IT UP, BUT THAT HE DID NOT ACTUALLY HEAR ANYONE STATE THAT PARTICULAR TEMPLE WAS GOING TO BE BLOWN UP. HE DESCRIBED THE UNKNOWN MAN WHO TOOK PART IN THIS CONVERSATION AS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AND BELIEVED TO BE AN ATTORNEY. [REDACTED] DESCRIBED

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] HE DESCRIBED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HE DESCRIBED [REDACTED]

last name unknown
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[REDACTED] STATED HE NEVER SAW [REDACTED]
STANDING UP AND ONLY SAW HIM^D WHILE SEATED IN A CAR. PHOTOS
OF SUBJECT THIS CASE WILL BE SHOWN TO [REDACTED] UPON THEIR
RECEIPT FROM ATLANTA.

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION */*

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TO SACS, ATLANTA
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KNOXVILLE
LOUISVILLE
LITTLE ROCK
MEMPHIS
MIAMI
MOBILE
SAVANNAH

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (62-105023)

WALLACE ALLEN, GEORGE BRIGHT, [REDACTED] AND

ROBERT BOWLING, BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
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OTHER THAN THROUGH INTERVIEWS WITH SUSPECTS OR SUSPECTS
RELATIVES. BUREAU OBVIOUSLY CANNOT RELY ONLY ON STATEMENTS
MADE BY SUSPECTS OR THEIR RELATIVES AND WHEREABOUTS ALL SUSPECTS
MUST BE VERIFIED OR DISPROVED BY INVESTIGATION. EACH OFFICE
IMMEDIATELY SUTEL RE ALL SUSPECTS CHECKED INDICATING

SPECIFICALLY WHETHER WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD OF

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WALLACE ALLEN
62-105023

EACH INDIVIDUAL SUSPECT VERIFIED THROUGH INVESTIGATION. IN EACH
INSTANCE WHERE SUCH HAS NOT BEEN DONE IMMEDIATELY INITIATE
INVESTIGATION TO DO SO. SUTEL RESULTS SUCH INVESTIGATION
NO LATER THAN NOON OCTOBER TWENTYTWO NEXT. AS INDICATED
REBUTEL LIST OF SUSPECTS SUBMITTED TO FIELD BY BUREAU NOT
INTENDED TO BE ALL INCLUSIVE AND EACH OFFICE SHOULD REVIEW
ITS FILES TO DEVELOP OTHER LOGICAL SUSPECTS PARTICULARLY PERSONS
WHO MAY BE AFFILIATED WITH CONFEDERATE UNDERGROUND/COULD HAVE
BEEN INVOLVED CAPTIONED BOMBING. INCLUDE IDENTITIES AND
SUMMARIES OF PERTINENT PERSONAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL BACKGROUND
SUCH INDIVIDUALS IN TEL TO BE SUBMITTED BY NOON OCTOBER
TWENTYTWO. DO NOT INITIATE INVESTIGATION SUCH INDIVIDUALS
WITHOUT SPECIFIC BUREAU AUTHORITY. ATTENTION BIRMINGHAM
DIRECTED TO PREVIOUS INFO RECEIVED ALLEGING [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] BIRMINGHAM IMMEDIATELY

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REVIEW FILES TO DETERMINE IDENTITIES ALL INDIVIDUALS
AFFILIATED WITH [REDACTED] AND SUTEL BUREAU AND ATLANTA
IDENTITIES AND PERSONAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL BACKGROUNDS SUCH
INDIVIDUALS. THEREAFTER IMMEDIATELY INITIATE INTENSIVE
INVESTIGATION TO POSITIVELY DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS ALL SUCH
INDIVIDUALS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. SUTEL BUREAU AND
ATLANTA RESULTS SUCH INVESTIGATION NO LATER THAN NINE A.M.
WASHINGTON TIME OCTOBER TWENTYTHREE NEXT.

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TO SACS ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM, CHARLOTTE, JACKSONVILLE, KNOXVILLE,
LOUISVILLE, LITTLE ROCK, MEMPHIS, MIAMI, MOBILE, AND SAVANNAH
FROM DIRECTOR 2 P

WALLACE ALLEN, GEORGE BRIGHT, [REDACTED] AND
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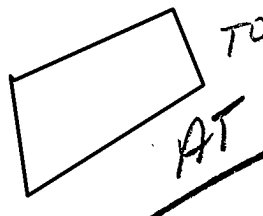
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TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, ATLANTA

FROM SAC, BIRMINGHAM 1P

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ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, ^{Georgia} GA., OCTOBER TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT. INFO

CONCERNING. CAPTAIN [REDACTED] BIRMINGHAM POLICE

DEPARTMENT ADVISED THIS DATE THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED INFORMATION

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THIS INFORMATION BEING FURNISHED FOR ANY ACTION DEEMED ADVISABLE
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TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: 10/17/58

FROM : A. ROSEN *R*SUBJECT: *0* BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
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ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

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John SAC Johnson, Atlanta, called indicating he had received a telephone call from the Solicitor of Fulton County, [redacted] had been in touch with Chief of Police Herb Jenkins last evening and had specifically asked Jenkins whether the police would continue to investigate this matter and follow it through in the event indictments were returned. Jenkins said the full facilities of the police department would be available and that they intend to stay with it until the last straw; that his men were completely and fully in it.

[redacted] called Johnson this morning and asked whether it was the intention of the FBI to continue to investigate this matter. Johnson wanted to know if it would be proper for him to indicate we will continue to render assistance. I told him this was perfectly proper; there was no intention of ceasing our assistance; that the position of the Bureau had previously been stated and there had been no revision of our position. Consequently he was right in indicating we would continue to render every assistance.

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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (62-105023)

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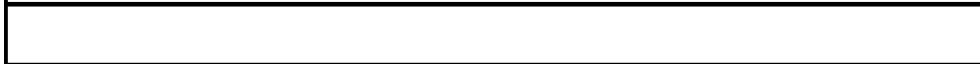
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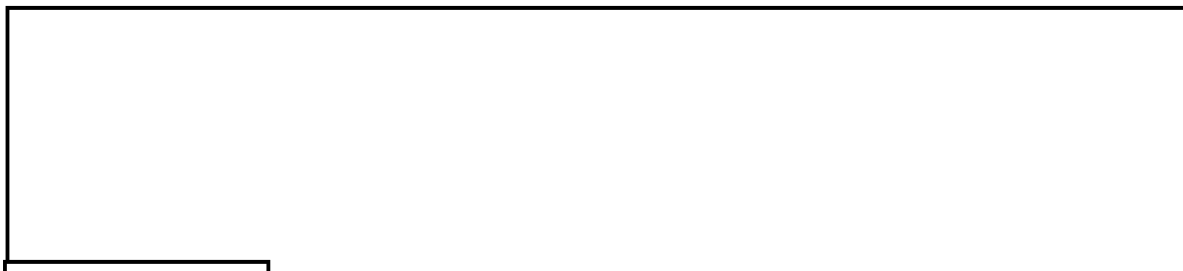
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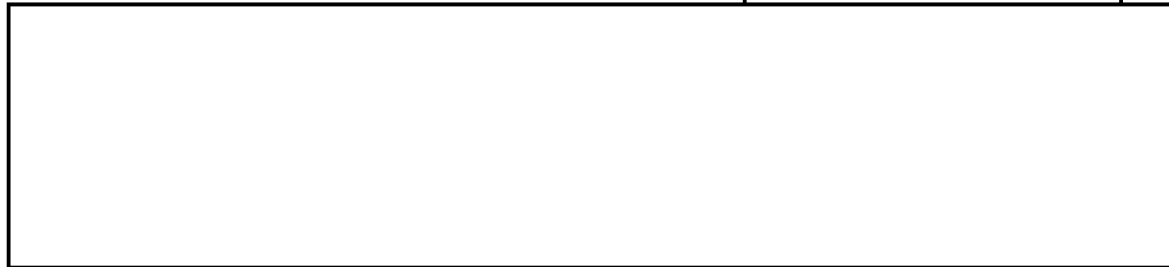
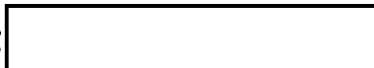
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October 13, 1958

BY COURIER SERVICE

Honorable James C. Hagerty
Press Secretary
The White House
Washington 25, D. C.

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My dear Mr. Hagerty:

In line with our conversation of October 12, 1958, I want to furnish you further developments regarding the dynamiting of the Hebrew Benevolent Congregation, 1589 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, Georgia.

The janitor at the Hebrew Benevolent Congregation Building discovered the damage when he arrived at approximately 7:30 on the morning of October 12, 1958. He immediately brought this to the attention of an officer of the Congregation and the matter was referred to the Atlanta Police Department. The chief of the Atlanta Police Department advised the Special Agent in Charge of our Atlanta Office at approximately 9:15 on the morning of October 12, 1958. At that time Chief Herbert Jenkins was advised that the facilities of this Bureau were available to assist him and his officers in their investigation of the bombing. He was specifically advised of the facilities of the Identification Division of this Bureau and the FBI Laboratory being readily available for any assistance they could render. Two technical experts of this Bureau were sent from Washington so as to be of assistance at the scene of the dynamiting and to conduct whatever on-the-scene examination they might be able to handle.

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DATE 10-13-58
BY [Signature]

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BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 10-12-58

Honorable James C. Hagerty

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The Special Agent in Charge of our Atlanta Office was on the scene personally directing Agents of this Bureau who are engaged in assisting the local authorities. He has also advised the chief of the Atlanta Police Department that this Bureau was willing to handle any investigative matters outside of the State of Georgia which might be developed by the Atlanta Police in connection with their investigation.

Extensive inquiry is being made by Agents of this Bureau among individuals residing in the area and other persons who may be in a position to furnish any information as to the identity of the person responsible for the dynamiting. Confidential informants of this Bureau are being contacted for any information they may be able to offer concerning this incident.

[redacted] of the United Press International, has advised that between 3:40 and 3:45 a.m. on October 12, 1958, he received a telephone call from a person who stated he desired to make a release. This individual told [redacted] that he was General [redacted] of the Confederate Underground and that a Temple in Atlanta had just been blown up. The caller told [redacted] that if [redacted] did not put the release on the air he would be dead in a week. The caller further related that he is going to kill all Negroes and Jews in Atlanta and blow up all the night clubs in Atlanta where Negroes are employed. He continued that persons employing Negroes would be asked to fire them and if they did not they would be killed. The caller specifically mentioned hotels and night clubs. He stated the job would be done even if it took twenty years. He further declared that all communist organizations in Atlanta would be blown up. The caller further stated that all Jews and Negroes are being declared aliens and this was the last empty building that would be blown up.

[redacted] stated he believed the caller to be a young man about twenty to twenty-five years of age. [redacted] related that he did not take the call seriously until he learned of the explosion. He advised that he originally felt that the call was being made by someone who had been celebrating following a college football game in Atlanta on Saturday afternoon.

Honorable James C. Hagerty

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Demolition experts of the Third Army, Fort McPherson, Georgia, were called in by the Atlanta Police Department and searched the scene of the explosion in order to identify the type of explosive which had been used. The demolition experts stated it was their opinion that approximately fifty sticks of forty to fifty per cent dynamite had been used. They believed that the explosive had been placed by someone who had some knowledge of dynamite inasmuch as the force of the explosion had destroyed the firing mechanism which had been used.

Rabbi Jacob M. Rothschild of the Hebrew Benevolent Congregation was unable to make any estimate of the cost of the damage and insurance adjusters declined to estimate the extent of the damage although a United Press International release from Atlanta, Georgia, indicated that the damage had been estimated at \$200,000.

[redacted] "Atlanta Constitution" and the "Atlanta Journal," telephonically contacted the Special Agent in Charge of our Atlanta Office and indicated that he might be partially responsible for the bombing. [redacted] stated that on October 9, 1958, he spoke at the Temple as the leader of a foreign affairs forum at which time he advocated that Israel must recognize Arab nationalism. [redacted] further advised that his newspapers had followed this with a story in the "Atlanta Journal" on October 10, 1958, which mentioned the fact that Atlanta had not suffered any bombings and that the Atlanta Police Department intended to vigorously prosecute any persons responsible for racial violence. [redacted] mentioned that he had passed the Jewish Temple on the morning of October 12, 1958, and noticed that his name was still on one of the bulletin boards outside of the Temple as the featured speaker at the meeting on last Thursday. [redacted] said he was wondering whether or not his talk at that particular meeting followed by the above-mentioned news story might have had something to do with "triggering the bombing."

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[redacted] wife of Rabbi Rothschild, advised that she had received a telephone call at about 6:20 p.m. on October 12, 1958, from a man who was rather illiterate but the voice sounded as if the caller was a white male individual. The caller asked for Mr. Rothschild and was informed that he was not available. [redacted] asked if she could take the message and the caller made a statement to the effect "I am one of them that bombed your Temple and there are sticks of dynamite under your house and they are ready to go off in about five minutes." The caller then made a statement to the effect "We are giving you a chance for your lives."

[redacted] advised that she could not recall any of the remainder of the conversation due to the shock of this message and the caller then hung up the telephone.

The Atlanta Police Department immediately thereafter had its detectives make a search of the Rothschild's house and grounds. No explosives were located. The Atlanta Police Department has assigned a man to afford protection to Rabbi Rothschild for the night of October 12, 1958.

At 6:15 p.m. on October 12, 1958, the switchboard operator at station WSB-TV, a television station in Atlanta, received a telephone call from an unidentified male who stated "I am from the Confederate Underground, we are going to bomb you and the Negro loving 'Atlanta Journal' and all the Negro churches and Jewish churches. You are all going to be blown up. We are going to blow you up." The caller was asked his identity but refused to give any name stating he was from the Confederate Underground and "You are going to hear from us."

Sincerely yours,

The Attorney General

October 22, 1958

Director, FBI

WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ET AL.;
BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE,
1539 PEACHTREE STREET,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA,
OCTOBER 12, 1958
INFORMATION CONCERNING

This is to advise you of current developments concerning the bombing of the Hebrew Benevolent Congregation in Atlanta, Georgia.

Twenty sticks of dynamite, together with two detonating caps and a length of fuse, have been found in an open area north of Atlanta. The dynamite is leaking nitroglycerin and is considered to be in a dangerous condition, but it can be handled if it is treated carefully. It has been moved to a powder magazine and one of our technical experts flew to Atlanta early this morning to examine it for latent fingerprints. Two cases of this type of dynamite were stolen from a powder magazine in Atlanta about two months ago.

It is interesting to note that thirty sticks of this same type of dynamite were found on the steps of a synagogue in Gastonia, North Carolina, on February 9, 1958. Fifty-four sticks of similar dynamite were found at the Temple Beth El Synagogue, Birmingham, Alabama, on April 28, 1958. Similar dynamite was also used in the attempted bombing of a synagogue in Charlotte, North Carolina, on November 19, 1957.

A confidential informant has related that

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BY MESSAGE

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The Attorney General

[REDACTED]

Chief Justice Warren and Justice Frankfurter are still under protective observation. No incidents have occurred.

In connection with the bombing of the Jewish Temple Anshai-Emeth, Peoria, Illinois, on October 14, 1958, we are continuing our intensive investigation.

On October 21, 1958, five juveniles were placed on probation after pleading guilty to charges arising from their responsibility for throwing a "cherry bomb" firecracker into Richwood's School in a suburb of Peoria. They deny any knowledge of the Temple bombing and their whereabouts at the time of the bombing have been accounted for.

This information has also been furnished to the President.

Previous correspondence in this regard has been captioned, "Unknown Subjects; Dynamiting of Hebrew Benevolent Congregation, 1539 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, Georgia, October 12, 1958."

1 - [REDACTED]
Deputy Attorney General

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Date: 10/16/58

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AMSD
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (62-2830)

UNSUB; Bombing of the Jewish Temple,
1589 Peachtree Road, NW,
Atlanta, Georgia
10/12/58

INFORMATION CONCERNING

HEBREW TOLERANT CONGREGATION
Re Detroit teletype, 10/16/58.

The Detroit Source for information in referenced teletype was

[redacted]
[redacted] Detroit. [redacted]b6
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b7D③ Bureau (AMSD) (REGISTERED)
1 - DetroitWRB:jpk
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Approved: T. J. H.

Special Agent in Charge

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Per [initials]

10/15/58

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TELETYPE

URGENT

TO SAC, BALTIMORE
FROM DIRECTOR, FBI 62-105023-
DYNAMITING CLINTON, TENNESSEE, HIGH SCHOOL, OCTOBER FIVE
LAST; DYNAMITING OF HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION, ONE
FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE STREET, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER
TWELVE LAST. REURAIRTEL OCTOBER FOURTEEN LAST. AUTHORITY
GRANTED TO INTERVIEW [] TO ASCERTAIN HIS WHEREABOUTS
DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. BUREAU CANNOT RELY ONLY ON
STATEMENTS MADE BY SUSPECT AND THIS SHOULD BE VERIFIED
OR DISPROVED BY INVESTIGATION. KNOXVILLE AND ATLANTA
ADVISED.

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1 - Knoxville

1 - Atlanta

1 - 44-13723 (Clinton dynamiting)
1 - (Atlanta dynamiting)

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NOTE: [] former member of the
Independent Knights of the Ku Klux Klan,
was arrested in connection with the
bombing of a home []
in November, 1957, but not convicted.

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Nichols _____
Boardman _____
Belmont _____
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TELETYPE

URGENT 10-15-58 7-38PM WS

TO SAC, BALTIMORE

FROM DIRECTOR 1P

DYNAMITING CLINTON, TENNESSEE, HIGH SCHOOL, OCTOBER FIVE LAST.,

DYNAMITING OF HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE

PEACHTREE STREET, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE LAST. REURAIRTEL

OCTOBER FOURTEEN LAST. AUTHORITY GRANTED TO INTERVIEW TO

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ASCERTAIN HIS WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. BUREAU CANNOT
RELY ONLY ON STATEMENTS MADE BY SUSPECT AND THIS SHOULD BE VERIFIED
OR DISPROVED BY INVESTIGATION. KNOXVILLE AND ATLANTA ADVISED.

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Date: 10/16/58

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority or Method of Mailing)TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (62-1670)RE: UNSUBS;
Bombing of the Temple
1589 Peachtree Road, N.W.,
Atlanta, Georgia
10/12/58
INFO CONCERNING

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HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION

On 10/15/58 Captain [redacted] Atlanta Police Department, advised he had received a telephone call from [redacted] telephone Jackson 3-7805, who stated a relative of his, believed to be a brother-in-law but not specified, named [redacted] [redacted] has telephone but [redacted] does not know the number, [redacted] [redacted] not known whether state or Federal, has been associating with JOHN KASPER and the anti-Semitic group involved. This young boy has expressed the thought that HITLER was his idol, and is a rabid anti-Semitic. [redacted] stated that this was a family matter and would like for his information not to be revealed to the family.

The Richmond Division is requested to locate and interview [redacted] for information regarding his activities and possible implication in this case.

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2- Richmond
2- Atlanta

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Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

10/17/58

FROM: SAC, WFO (62-8011)

UNSUB; Bombing of Temple,
Peachtree Road, Atlanta, Ga.,
10/12/58

INFORMATION CONCERNING

[redacted] telephone
LI 7-7380, telephonically contacted WFO on 10/15/58 and
furnished the following information which she believed might
be of interest in view of the above bombing.

About a year ago while she was teaching school at
Charleston, S. C. High School, she came in contact with a
boy named [redacted] who was a member of a group of boys
named "The German High Command". [redacted] was subsequently
expelled from Charleston High. It was her belief the gang
had been disbanded also.

She stated that in view of publicity re "Swastika"
the fact [redacted] had friends outside of Charleston, S.C. and
since she believed him capable of such a bombing (although
she had no specific information) she felt she should bring
it to the attention of the FBI.

She advised she obtained her information about the
gang from [redacted] Charleston High, who was a member
of the gang.

She advised [redacted] is about [redacted] years old.

Savannah furnish info regarding this group of
individuals to the Atlanta and Knoxville Offices.

- 3-Bureau
- 2-Atlanta (RM)
- 2-Savannah (RM)
- 1-Knoxville (Info)
- 1-WFO
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Mr. Belmont	_____
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Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

URGENT 10-16-58 6-59 PM EST JHT

TO DIRECTOR AND SAC, DETROIT

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

UNSUBS, ⁶BOMBING OF THE ^{Jewish}TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE

PEACHTREE ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE,

FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION CONCERNING. RE DETROIT TEL

INSTANT DATE. DETROIT SHOULD OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM

AND ARRANGE FOR RETENTION OF TOLL TICKET AS EVIDENCE.

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Mr. Rosen

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

URGENT 10-18-58 9-30 PM JJS

TO DIRECTOR AND SACS MIAMI AND ATLANTA

FROM SAC NEW YORK 3 P

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS, ⁶BOMBING OF JEWISH ^{Temple}SYNAGOGUE, ATLANTA, GEORGIA OCTOBER
TWELVE, LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. REMYTEL OCTOBER SEVENTEENTH LAST
AND BUTELCALL TO NEW YORK OCTOBER EIGHTEEN, INSTANT. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ALSO KNOWN AS [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED TODAY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HE STATED THAT IN LATTER PART NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN

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Mr. Rosen

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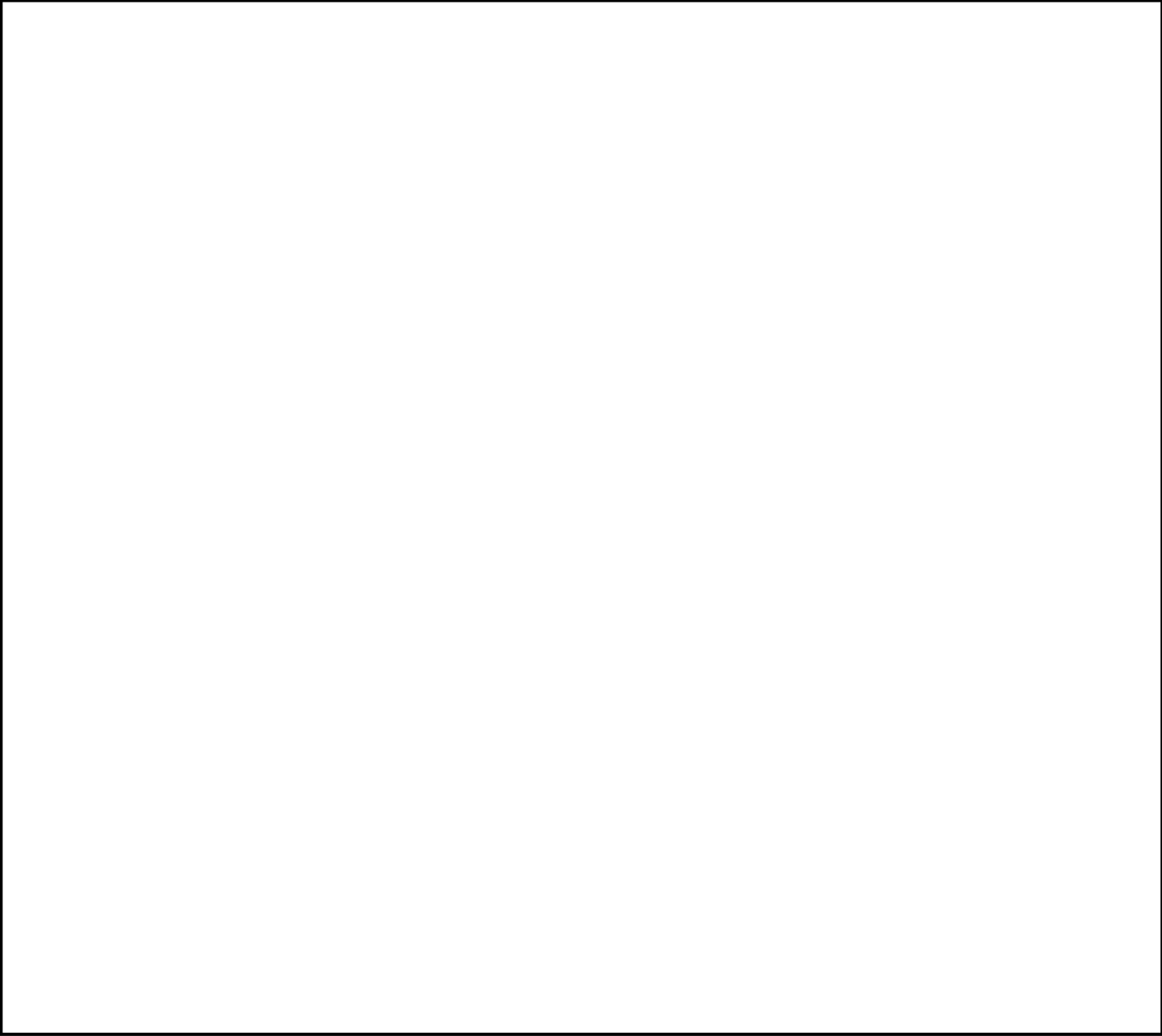
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HE REPLIED QUOTE NO UNQUOTE.



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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] HE CLAIMS HE CAN BE OF GREAT ASSISTANCE TO BUREAU IN
LOCATING [REDACTED] AND OBTAINING OTHER INFORMATION IN THIS CASE IF BUREAU
ASSISTS HIM ON PRESENT CHARGE. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS ADVISED BUREAU COULD PROVIDE NO ASSISTANCE ON LOCAL CHARGES ^{IN} ~~IN~~
NEW YORK CITY. ABOVE FURNISHED ATLANTA AND MIAMI FOR INFORMATION.

END AND ACK

CORR PG 3 LINE 4 LST WORD - " HUDSON,

LINE 6 LST WORD - " IN

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Kelly*
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

5-21-68

10-14-58

PLAIN TEXT

TELETYPE

URGENT

TO: SAC, ATLANTA

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

UNSUBS; ^{Jawish} BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE ROAD,
N. W., ATLANTA GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. FIVE LATENT FINGERPRINTS DEVELOPED ON NINETEEN FIFTYTWO
DESOTO AUTOMOBILE IDENTIFIED AS FINGERPRINTS OF GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT.
NO LATENT IMPRESSIONS REMAIN UNIDENTIFIED. CONFIRMING.

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Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Nease _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
Clayton _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

MAIL ROOM

Teletype room

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TELETYPE

URGENT 10-15-58 12-19 AM ELR

TO SAC ATLANTA

FROM DIRECTOR 1P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE ROAD,
N.W., ATLANTA GEORGIA, OCTOBER TWELVE, FIFTYEIGHT, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. FIVE LATENT FINGERPRINTS DEVELOPED ON NINETEEN FIFTYTWO
DESOTO AUTOMOBILE IDENTIFIED AS FINGERPRINTS OF GEORGE MICHAEL
BRIGHT. NO LATENT IMPRESSIONS REMAIN UNIDENTIFIED. CONFIRMING.

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

10-16-58

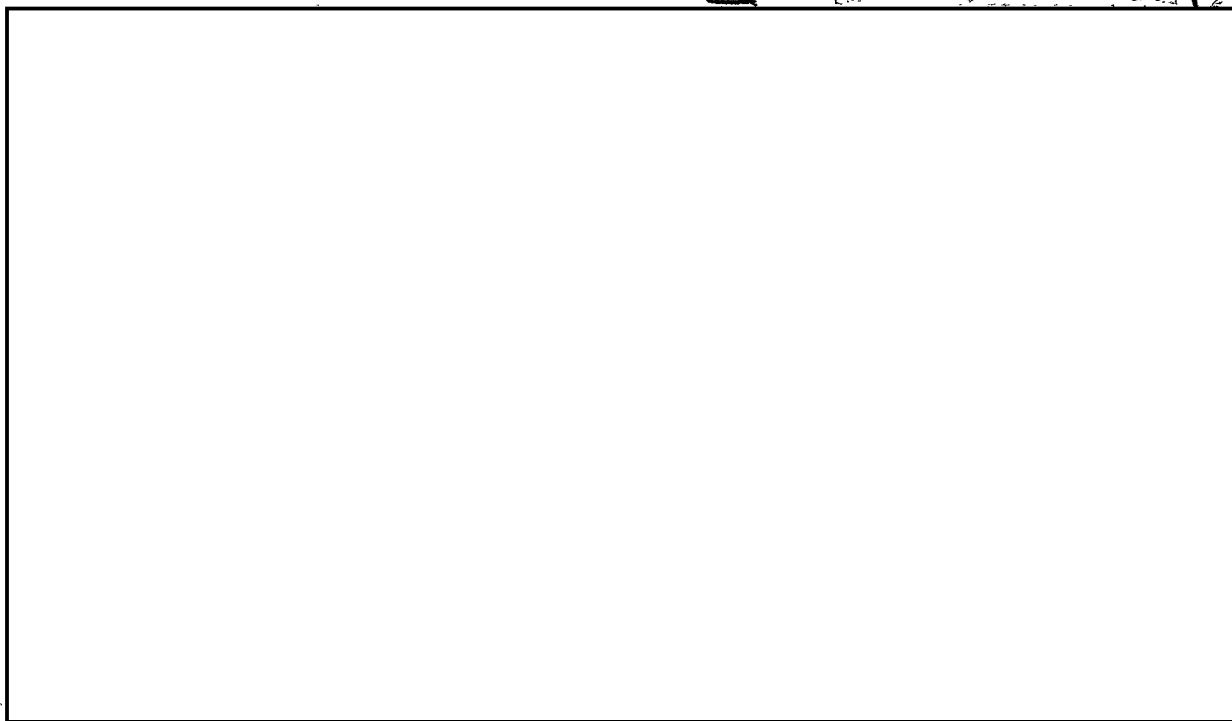
FROM: SAC, WFO (62-8011)

UNSUB, Jewish Temple
BOMBING OF TEMPLE, 1589 PEACHTREE ROAD, NW,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA, 10-12-58

MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING
(OO: ATLANTA)

At 12:50 p.m., 10-16-58, [redacted]
telephonically contacted the WFO and advised he had informa-
tion concerning a Ku Klux Klan (KKK) member who had dynamite
fuses in his possession. Arrangements were made to interview
[redacted] the afternoon of 10-16-58.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted]

3-Bureau
2-Atlanta
1-Knoxville (Info.)
3-Richmond
3-WFO

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WFO 62-8011

[redacted]
[redacted] sounded as if he were a member of the
KKK. To this statement [redacted] female employee replied
that she knew he was a member of the KKK, inasmuch as [redacted]
had exhibited a membership card from the KKK.

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[redacted] was specifically asked if [redacted] had made
any threats to blow up anything, to which [redacted] replied that
[redacted] had made no specific threats.

[redacted] advised that he was interested in obtaining
any reward being offered which might be due him as a result
of the information being furnished by him. It was explained
to [redacted] that the FBI does not offer any rewards.

[redacted] further advised that [redacted]
[redacted]

Three copies of this communication are being for-
warded to the Richmond Division in view of the investigation
requested at Arlington and Front Royal.

[redacted] has requested that his name be kept confidential.
It is, therefore, requested that Richmond, when interviewing
[redacted] not disclose to him the source of this information.

WFO 62-8011

The Richmond Division, at Arlington, Virginia, will contact the Walter Truland Co. and determine the identity of (FNU) [] and the location of his present employment. Also, review the records of the company in an attempt to determine [] whereabouts on the weekends of 10-5-58 and 10-12-58.

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The Richmond Division, at Front Royal, Virginia, will contact the Walter Truland Co., supposedly doing construction work on a military project at Front Royal, Va., and attempt to determine if (FNU) [] is presently employed there. If located, will interview [] concerning [] [] whereabouts on the weekends of 10-5-58 and 10-12-58.

WFO at WDC, will attempt to determine the identity of [] female employee and interview her for any information she may possess concerning []

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Date: October 17, 1958

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-294)

SUBJECT: UNSUBS;
Bombing of Jewish Temple,
1589 Peachtree Street, N.W.
Atlanta, Georgia,
10/12/58
INFORMATION CONCERNING;
CIVIL RIGHTS

AIR-TEL

0 HEREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION

Re Atlanta teletype 10/16/58 requesting further
interview

on night of 10/16/58 declined to make
appointment prior to 11:30 A.M. 10/17/58. On 10/17/58
 telephonically advised SA GEORGE W. HUTCHISON as
follows in 15 minute telephonic conversation:

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He could not keep appointment because he had
been busy all A.M. with phone calls from press, had been
told that Life magazine was sending a crew to see him,
and would be tied up rest of day in conference with various
unidentified persons and groups. He declined to make
appointment at later time. He immediately referred to
news reports that conspiracy indictment being sought in
Atlanta and said he did not think he could do anything
further to assist his members in Atlanta by talking to
the FBI at this point. Expects to see letter he furnished
FBI, Louisville, on 10/16/58 in public press.

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- 3 - Bureau
2 - Atlanta
1 - Indianapolis (NSRP) (Info)
3 - Louisville (44-294)
1 - 105-271
1 - 105-273

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Approved: *culpe*
Special Agent in Charge

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Date: October 17, 1958

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

LS 44-294

Charged ADL is putting pressure on Atlanta authorities to discredit NSRP. He has learned that one [redacted] of Indianapolis ADL member, has been furnishing ADL all sorts false information re NSRP.

Repeated NSRP Atlanta group on outs with [redacted] boys politically and socially because of their criminal records and personal conduct. He has been told by WALLACE ALLEN and [redacted] that Atlanta NSRP group has not been in contact with [redacted] boys for over a year. Said [redacted] split politically with his group over four years ago and J. P. STONER split at same time. Members his group still personally friendly with STONER. [redacted] GRIFFIN, ALLEN are members NSRP. [redacted] are not. He does not know [redacted]

[redacted] was Atlanta NSRP organizer. WALLACE ALLEN never was. ALLEN has been threatening to quit NSRP because Thunderbolt symbol reminiscent Columbians. [redacted]

[redacted] learned nothing from ALLEN's wife because she was hysterical in his phone contact with her.

[redacted] said his protestations of innocence of his Atlanta associates based upon what others have told him and his knowledge of character of Atlanta NSRP members.

[redacted] attitude is not openly hostile but is cool and formal. In all contact he has attempted to furnish

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Special Agent in Charge

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Date: October 17, 1958

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LS 44-294

only self-serving information. He is glib talker, attempts to evade direct questions when he detects interest in particular information.

Further attempt to interview if desired should be based upon as complete information as is available concerning matter of interview and individuals involved.

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Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 10/17/58

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIR TEL AIR MAIL REGISTERED
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (62-2830)

UNSUBS., Bombing of the Jewish Temple,
1589 Peachtree Road, NW, Atlanta, Ga.,
10/12/58
INFORMATION CONCERNING

ReDetel 10/16/58.

Detroit has been unable to locate any night letter sent by
[redacted] to Louisville. Continuing checks will be
made in this regard. Check of long distance calls from Detroit
under unlisted telephone number of [redacted] unproductive
to date.

- 3 - Bureau
2 - Atlanta
2 - Louisville
1 - Detroit

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cc: 2 Wick

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Date: October 17, 1958

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(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-294)

SUBJECT: UNSUBS;
Bombing of Jewish Temple,
1589 Peachtree Street, N. W.
Atlanta, Georgia,
10/12/58
INFORMATION CONCERNING;
CIVIL RIGHTS

AIR - TEL*HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION*

Re Detroit teletype 10/16/58 regarding night
letter from [redacted] to [redacted], Louisville, Ky.

On 10/17/58 [redacted] Western
Union, Louisville, Ky., advised SA [redacted]
that he could locate no record in his files of any message
to either [redacted] Louisville,
Ky. telephone MElorose 7-7321 or to [redacted]
[redacted] telephone HIGHland 5893. [redacted] checked
for such records from 10/12/58 through 10/17/58. [redacted]
stated that if messages were phoned to addressee, receiving
office would have no record. In this instance, the Detroit
Western Union would be office maintaining record of message.
[redacted] indicated he had had past experience with [redacted]
[redacted] and from this experience knew that [redacted] would
demand that message be delivered in writing. For this reason,
[redacted] believes that [redacted] did not receive such message.

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2 - Atlanta
2 - Detroit
3 - Louisville (1 - 44-294)
(1 - 105-271)
(1 - 105-273)

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Approved: *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 10/20/58

Transmit the following in PLAIN TEXT
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGULAR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, RICHMOND (62-1345)

UNSUB; BOMBING OF TEMPLE, 1589 PEACHTREE ROAD,
N. W., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, 10-12-58
MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING
(OO:ATLANTA)0 HERREW BENEVOLENT COI. GREGATION
On 10/20/58

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[redacted] contacted Richmond Office and advised from reading newspaper accounts of captioned bombing she learned that the name of GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL of Arlington, Va., had been mentioned. She continued through her business connections she has learned of an associate of ROCKWELL which may be of interest in captioned matter.

[redacted]

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2 - Atlanta
2 - Baltimore
2 - WFO
1 - Richmond (62-1345)
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Approved: *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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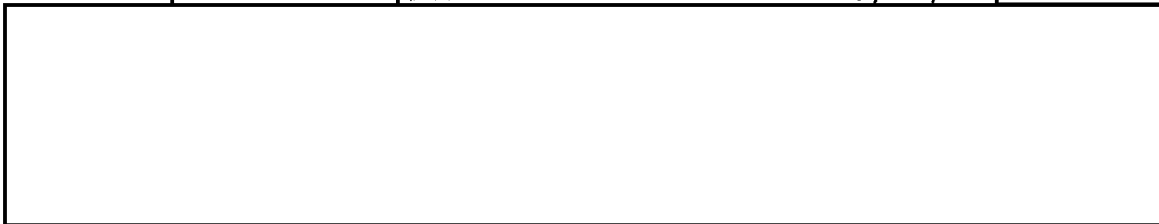

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RH 62-1345

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RH 62-1345

[redacted] requested her identity be treated confidentially as the information she furnished was obtained from company records and the releasing of this information was contrary to company policy.

Above being submitted for information.

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Special Agent in Charge

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

OCT 21 1958

TELETYPE

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Winterrowd	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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URGENT 10-21-58 12-19 AM CST HEP
TO DIRECTOR AND SAC ATLANTA
FROM SAC BIRMINGHAM 2P

*File-6-16K
62-105023*

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WALLACE ALLEN, ET AL. BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACHTREE ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. REBUTEL OCTOBER TWO ZERO, ONE NINE FIVE EIGHT. WHERE-
ABOUTS OF SUSPECTS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] HAVE BEEN
PREVIOUSLY ESTABLISHED BY INVESTIGATION OTHER THAN STATEMENTS OF
SUSPECTS OR RELATIVES. WHEREABOUTS OF SUSPECTS [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
AND [REDACTED] HAVE BEEN VERIFIED BUT IN SOME INSTANCES BY
STATEMENTS OF IN-LAWS AND RELATIVES. IN LATTER CASES INVESTIGATION
CONTINUING TO VERIFY WHEREABOUTS FROM WITNESSES OTHER THAN RELATIVES
WHERE APPLICABLE. BH HAS ALREADY REVIEWED FILES CONCERNING
IDENTITY OF INDIVIDUALS AFFILIATED WITH [REDACTED] IT SHOULD BE
NOTED THAT [REDACTED] AFFILIATES NUMBER INTO HUNDREDS, THEREFORE,
BH FILES HAVE BEEN REVIEWED ON A CONTINUING BASIS TO IDENTIFY ONLY
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THOSE AFFILIATES OF [REDACTED] WHO HAVE VIOLENT PROPENSITIES OR WHO
MIGHT BE POSSIBLE BOMBING SUSPECTS. MYTEL OCTOBER ONE NINE
LAST CONTAINS NAME OF [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] *Ad*
ALL CLOSE FRIENDS OF [REDACTED] WHO PARTICIPATED IN ATTACK ON SINGER
NAT KING COLE SOME MONTHS AGO. THESE INDIVIDUALS ALL MEMBERS OF
WHITE CITIZENS COUNCIL AT ANNISTON, ALA., IN THE PAST BUT THEIR
VIOLENT TENDENCIES BASED ON PERSONAL RATHER THAN ORGANIZATIONAL
ACTIVITY. IF OTHERS IN THIS CATEGORY ARE DEVELOPED THROUGH FILE
REVIEWS AND INTERVIEWS WITH OTHER SUSPECTS BUREAU AND ATLANTA
WILL BE ADVISED.

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AT OK FBI AT JEL

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CC: MR. ROSEN
~~AND SUPERVISOR~~
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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TELETYPE

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Nease	✓
Mr. Parsons	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tamm	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

URGENT 10-17-58 Q 1-47 AM EST FL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, ATLANTA 1P

Unknown subjects

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE

ROAD, N. W., ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE INSTANT, INFO
CONCERNING. CHIEF HERBERT JENKINS, ATLANTA PD, CALLED ME
AT TEN THIRTY FIVE PM TONIGHT AND ADVISED THAT SOLICITOR
GENERAL [REDACTED] WHO WAS OUT OF TOWN TODAY, HAD GOTTEN BACK
IN TOWN AND CHIEF JENKINS HAD HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS
ASSISTANT SOLICITOR GENERAL [REDACTED] DECISION TO GO AHEAD
WITH THE INDICTMENTS BEFORE THE GRAND JURY TOMORROW MORNING
AND SOLICITOR GENERAL [REDACTED] IS IN COMPLETE AGREEMENT
WITH PRESENTING THE CASE TO THE GRAND JURY AND SECURING THE
INDICTMENTS.

END AND ACK

WA 2-48 AM OK FBI WA JG

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Nease	
Mr. Parsons	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tamm	
Mr. Trotter	
Mr. Sullivan	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

URGENT 10-16-58 6-08 PM EST JH
TO DIRECTOR AND SAC-S ATLANTA AND LOUISVILLE
FROM SAC DETROIT 2P

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE
PEACHTREE ROAD, NW, ATLANTA, GA., OCTOBER TWELVE, INSTANT.
INFORMATION CONCERNING. DETROIT SOURCE ADVISED TODAY THAT

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[REDACTED] NO FURTHER PORTION

OF CONVERSATION OVERHEARD. [REDACTED] OBSERVED VICINITY HIS
RESIDENCE DETROIT TEN AM TODAY. DETROIT MAKING EFFORTS TO
DETERMINE IF [REDACTED] CAN BE LOCATED. LOUISVILLE SHOULD
ALSO CONSIDER CONTACTING SOURCES RE [REDACTED] ATLANTA
ADVISE IF STEPS DESIRED BY DETROIT TO OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM
AND ARRANGE FOR RETENTION OF TOLL TICKET AS EVIDENCE.
DETROIT CHECKING FOR ALL LONG DISTANCE CALLS ABOVE DETROIT
NUMBER DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. IDENTITY DETROIT SOURCE WILL
BE FURNISHED BUREAU BY LETTER.

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WA 7-12 PM OK FBI WA DM

AT OK FBI AT JHT

LS OK FBI LS CKA

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Mr. Rosen

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Kelly

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TELETYPE

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Nease	_____
Mr. Parsons	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tamm	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. W.C. Sullivan	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Holloman	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

URGENT 10-18-58 3-43PM

AEH

TO DIRECTOR, FBI, AND SAC-S WASHINGTON FIELD AND RICHMOND
FROM SAC, BALTIMORE 1P

920 UNSUBS, *JEWIS H* BOMBING OF TEMPLE, PEACHTREE ROAD, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,
OCTOBER TWELFTH, NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT. INFORMATION CONCERNING-
RE BALTIMORE TELETYPE OCTOBER SEVENTEENTH.
BALTIMORE, REINTERVIEWED BALTIMORE THIS DATE. AGAIN DENIES ANY
KNOWLEDGE OF OR PARTICIPATION IN INSTANT BOMBING. FURNISHED IDENTITY
OF INDIVIDUAL WHO CAN VERIFY HIS PRESENCE BALTIMORE AREA UNTIL
TWO A.M. OCTOBER TWELFTH NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT. INVESTIGATION
CONTINUING. COPY TO ATLANTA BY MAIL. *mp*

KELLY

END

AND ACK.

RH 3-45 PM OK FBI WA JG

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Mr. Rosen

CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR *Kelly*
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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Belmont	
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Mr. Nease	
Mr. Parsons	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tamm	
Mr. Trotter	
Mr. Sullivan	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

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URGENT 10-18-58

12-30PM SRT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, ATLANTA

FROM SAC, NORFOLK

UNSUBS, BOMBING OF Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
THE TEMPLE, ONE FIVE EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE
ROAD, N.W., ATLANTA, GA., OCT. TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION
CONCERNING. RE ATLANTA TEL TO NORFOLK DATED OCT. SEVENTEEN,
LAST AND NORFOLK TEL TO BUREAU DATED OCT. SEVENTEEN, LAST.

[REDACTED] ADVISED SAS [REDACTED] AND HARRY L.

MCCARTHY ON OCT. SEVENTEEN LAST THAT HE FIRST MET WALLACE H.
ALLEN OF ATLANTA, GA. WHEN ALLEN FLEW TO NEWPORT NEWS,
VA. IN SPRING OF NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT TO WARN HIM THAT
G. LINCOLN ROCKWELL, FORMER EMPLOYEE OF ALLEN AT ATLANTA,
GA., WAS COMING TO NEWPORT NEWS, VA. AND THAT ROCKWELL WAS
"INTELLECTUALLY DANGEROUS AND WOULD MAKE ANTI-SEMITIC
PRO-NAZI AND VULGAR STATEMENTS IN FRONT OF [REDACTED]
FRIENDS AND ASSOCIATES TO STEPHENSON-S EMBARRASSMENT.

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[] STATED THAT ALLEN KNEW OF HIM THROUGH THE
"VIRGINIAN ANTI-INTEGRATIONIST AND ANTI-COMMUNIST PUBLICATION

[] SAID HE HAD NOT SEEN

ALLEN AT ANY TIME IN ATLANTA AND HAS NEVER BEEN TO ALLEN-S
HOME. [] ADVISED EMORY BURKE AND ROCKWELL HAD

-WORKED FOR ALLEN AS AD SALESMAN ON A PROMOTIONAL ~~SCHEME~~ ^{SCHEME}

AT ATLANTA, THE DETAILS WITH WHICH [] WAS NOT

FAMILIAR. [] SAID BURKE WAS FORMERLY HEAD OF

COLUMBIANS IN GA. AND SERVED TIME FOR "USURPATION OF

POLICE POWERS." [] SAID HE DID NOT KNOW HOW

ROCKWELL BECAME ASSOCIATED WITH ALLEN. [] ADVISED

HE THOUGHT THAT A LETTER REFERRED TO RECENTLY IN THE PRESS

AS WRITTEN BY ROCKWELL TO ALLEN REFERRING TO "BOYS COMING

DOWN FROM NEW YORK AND THERE WOULD BE A BIG BLAST," REFERRED

TO PICKETING IN FRONT OF THE WHITE HOUSE AND IN FRONT OF

THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION BUILDING, AND AT LOUISVILLE, KY.

RATHER THAN ANY PROSPECTIVE

BOMBINGS OF TEMPLES. [] WAS OF OPINION []

REFERRED TO IS []

[] AND THAT [] IS

REPORTEDLY PRESENTLY ~~PSUING~~ ROCKWELL TO RE-POSSESS

HOUSE AND PRINTING EQUIPMENT PAID FOR BY [] AND

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LOCATED AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DENIES ANY KNOWLEDGE OR

PARTICIPATION SUBJECT CASE AND STATES HE WOULD LIKE VERY
MUCH TO SEE UNSUBS IDENTIFIED AND EVIDENCE PRODUCED
TO PROVE THEY DID BOMBING. HE ADVISES IF HE OBTAINS
ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS BOMBING OR PROSPECTIVE
BOMBINGS HE WILL IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THE FBI. [REDACTED]

OF OPINION NEITHER ALLEN NOR ROCKWELL THE TYPE PERSONS
TO PARTICIPATE IN INSTANT BOMBING AND OF OPINION NO
REPUTABLE PROFESSIONAL SEGREGATIONISTS INVOLVED.

END

ACK IN ORDER PLS

WA 1-40PM OK FBI WA CRA

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CC: MR. ROSEN
AND SUPERVISOR
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: FBI, Atlanta (62-1670)

Date: November 6, 1958

Re: WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, et al.
Bombing of the Temple
1589 Peachtree Rd., N. W.
INFORMATION CONCERNING

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 62-105023 - 167
Lab. No. REC-21 PG-54653 EX IE

Examination requested by: FBI, Atlanta

Reference: None

Examination requested: Explosives - Miscellaneous - Spectrographic

Remarks:

This report confirms and supplements the information contained in Butel dated 10/20/58, in which you were advised of the results of the examination of the items, Q13 through Q16, which were collected at the scene and personally returned to the Laboratory by Special Agent M. E. Williams.

In connection with the residues observed on Q16, it is pointed out that several military explosives are available in which carbon deposits would constitute the major portion, if not all, of the residues which should be found on items in the immediate vicinity of the explosion. Military-type explosives, such as TNT, are not readily available through commercial channels.

Even though the possibility of the use of military type explosives is suggested, it is pointed out that it has not been possible to determine the specific explosive involved in this case. From an examination of the scene, it is known that a "high order" type of material was used. The most readily available material of this type is dynamite but the use of dynamite cannot be confirmed from the residues examined.

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Nease _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

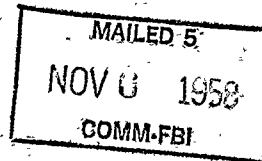
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Atlanta

Date: November 6, 1958
FBI File No. 62-105023
Lab. No. PC-54653 EX-IE

Re: WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, et al.
Bombing of the Temple
1589 Peachtree Rd., N. W.
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Specimens received 10/15/58:

- Q13 One piece of formed metal, approximately 2 1/2" long
- Q14 Portions of two labels
- Q15 Piece of wax
- Q16 Three pieces of wood

Result of examination:

Specimen Q13 is one-half of a 1/2-inch "Loxin" expansion shield manufactured by "Star Expansion" with headquarters at 142 Liberty Street, New York 6, New York. This concern has an Atlanta outlet, doing business as "Star Expansion Southern, Incorporated," 652 Belle Meade Avenue, N. W., Atlanta, Georgia.

Devices of this type are used to fasten structural members, such as beams and doorjams, to masonry construction.

Specimen Q14 consists of a portion of two labels from a product of "Keasbey & Mattison," 1956 Butler Avenue, Ambler, Pennsylvania. This company manufactures asbestos yarn, thread, cord, wick, tubing, tape and cloth; asbestos and magnesia insulation; asbestos-cement roofing and siding shingles; flat and corrugated structural sheets and pipe.

It was not possible to determine to which, if any, of the above products these labels were attached.

Specimen Q15 consists of three pieces of a small misshapened wax candle.

Nothing was found with respect to specimens Q13, Q14 or Q15 by which any of these items could be associated with the container and/or the explosive charge involved in this case.

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Nichols _____
Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rose _____
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Nease _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

MAIL ROOM ☐

The items, listed above, are being returned to your office under separate cover by registered mail.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ET AL.
Bombing of the Temple, 1589 Peachtree
Rd., N.W.
INFORMATION CONCERNING

File # 62-105023-167
Lab. # PG-54653 EX IE

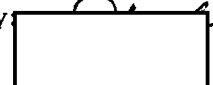
Examination requested by: FBI, Atlanta

Examination requested: Explosives - Misc. -
Spectro.

Result of Examination:

Date received: 10/15 per.
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Examination by



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See notes attached

relabel
two photos.

Ref. RM

Specimens submitted for examination

- Q13 One piece of formed metal, approximately 2 1/2" long
- Q14 Portions of two labels
- Q15 Piece of ~~wax~~ WAX
- Q16 Three pieces of wood ~~leaving residues~~

Q13- 1/2" "Lopin" expansion shield

14- Two labels -

Q15- 3 pieces of candle.

Q16 - 7 - Puckered slits only -

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11/6/58
M.E. [signature]

Q13

"
Lopin

AAAA

Expansion Shields.

Star Expansion
142 Liberty St.
New York 6, N.Y.

Use with $\frac{1}{2}$ " Machine
Bolt. -

$\frac{1}{2}$ " size is $2\frac{1}{2}$ " long

Atlanta Office. Star Expansion Southern Inc
652 Belle Meade Ave N.W.

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_____, 1958

___ Mr. Parsons	7621	___ Mr. Berley	7416
___ Mr. Conrad	7621	___ Mr. Bidez	7125
		___ Mr. Clark	7410
___ Mr. Griffith	7601	___ Mr. Cochran	7416
___ Mr. Downing	6228	___ Mr. Duckett	7410
___ Mr. Millen	7140	___ Mr. Duncan	7125
___ Mr. White	7133	___ Mr. Flach	7328
		___ Mr. Frazier	7416
___ Miss Keough	7621	___ Mr. Gallagher	7417
___ Miss Novotny	7621	___ Mr. Gormley	7407
		___ Mr. Heiberger	7417
___ Miss Pitts	7133	___ Mr. Heilman	7417
___ Mrs. Carson	7133	___ Mr. Houlihan	7407
___ Mrs. High	7133	___ Mr. Jevons	7328
___ Miss Hill	7133	___ Mr. LaRock	7324
___ Mrs. Oyler	7133	___ Mr. L'Italien	7417
___ Miss Peters	7133	___ Mr. Magee	7133
___ Miss Phelps	7133	___ Mr. McWright	7410
___ Mr. Alvarez	7416	___ Mr. Poppleton	7416
		___ Mr. Semmes	7125
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___ M		___ Please See Me	
		___ Please Call Me	
		___ Please Handle	

Q14 Over @ 1,500,000 4A

Kearbey & Mattison Co

1916 Butler Ave

Amblee Pa

Mfg. Asbestos yarn, thread,
Cord, Wick, Tubing, Tape
& Cloth. Asbestos & Magnesia
Insulation; Asbestos - Cement
Roofing & Siding Shingles;
Flat and Corrugated Structural
Sheets & Pipe.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: **WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ET AL.**
Bombing of the Temple, 1589 Peachtree
Rd., N.W.
INFORMATION CONCERNING

File # **62-105023 - 167**
Lab. # **PC-54653 EX IE**

Examination requested by: **FBI, Atlanta**

Examination requested: **Explosives - Misc. -**
Spectro.

Date received: **10/15 per,**
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Result of Examination:

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Specimens submitted for examination

- Q13 One piece of formed metal, approximately 2 1/2" long
- Q14 Portions of two labels
- Q15 Piece of was
- Q16 Three pieces of wood bearing residues

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Spectro

See
notes

Dictation

The limited and contaminated carbon and miscellaneous dirt deposits on the pieces of wood lack sufficient identifiable characteristics to be able to associate these deposits with a specific type of explosive material.

Atlanta Bombing

Black dust-like deposits on the pieces of wood essentially dirt - Nitrate test negative - dilute HCl releases H_2S gas and reflects a carbonate - sulfate test and nitrite test negative - addition of silver azide reflects a sulfide, thiocyanate or thiosulfate
∴ sulfur compounds present believed due to heavy lead base paint on wood forming lead sulfide

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analysis of cont.

Evidence Receipt (to be used in lieu of correspondence covering evidence submissions to the Laboratory)
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Agency submitting evidence

FBI, Atlanta

Date

10/15/58

Laboratory #

PC-54653

Delivered by

SA M. E. Williams

Accepted by

WILLIAMS

Suspect

WALLACE HUGH ALLEN, ET AL.

Victim

Offense

Bombing of the Temple,
1589 Peachtree Rd., N.W.
INFO CONCERNING

Place and date of offense

Atlanta, Ga. 10/12/58

Brief Facts covering case

Hebrew Benevolent Congregation
Items listed below returned to Lab by SA M. E. Williams for
examination as to source and possible connection with bombing

For Lab. Action & Report
Ex. exams this case

☐ Yes ☒ No

Evid. located

Room # 7416

Report to be directed to

FBI, Atlanta

Copies to

Evidence to be returned to

Yes

Date of hearing, grand jury, trial, or reason why expeditious handling is necessary

Evidence

- Q13 One piece of formed metal, approximately 2½" long
Q14 Portions of two labels
Q15 Piece of wax
Q16 Three pieces of wood bearing residues

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 10/15/58

FROM : SAC, Atlanta (62-1670)

ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

SUBJECT: UNSUBS, JEWELL
BOMBING OF THE TEMPLE
 1589 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.W.,
 ATLANTA, GEORGIA
 10/12/58
 INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Enclosed herewith is a two page handwritten note in pencil appearing on two pieces of plain white paper measuring approximately six by four inches. This note is addressed to "Mr. ROTHSCHILD" and bears the autographic initials of investigating officers on the reverse side thereof.

This note was obtained in the search of the room of GEORGE MICHAEL BRIGHT, suspect in this case, located at 525 Page Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia, conducted by investigating officers on October 14, 1958.

The Laboratory is requested to make an analysis of the enclosed note, obtain photographic copies of same if desired, and check the handwriting appearing thereon against handwriting furnished to the Bureau in any explosion case investigated in the United States by the Bureau or any police agency. Atlanta would appreciate the original note being returned to this Division as quickly as possible as same may be required in view of the rapid developments in this case.

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 1 - Atlanta
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URGENT

TO SAC INDIANAPOLIS

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (62-105023)

WALLACE ALLEN, ET AL., BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE ONE FIVE
EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE STREET, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER
TWELVE LAST INFORMATION CONCERNING. SUTEL IF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IF SO SUTEL DESCRIPTION SUCH
AND ATLANTA
MATERIAL TO BUREAU AND MIAMI. EXPEDITE. MIAMI/ADVISED.

1 - MIAMI
1 - ATLANTA
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

OCT 21 1958
7:05P

NOTE:

[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED]

Tolson _____
Nichols _____
Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Parsons _____
Rosen _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
Nease _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

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DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

W. C. Sullivan

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TO - SAC INDIANAPOLIS

FROM - DIRECTOR 1P

WALLACE ALLEN, ET AL., BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE ONE FIVE
EIGHT NINE PEACHTREE STREET, NW, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, OCTOBER
TWELVE LAST, INFORMATION CONCERNING. SUTEL IF

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IF SO SUTEL DESCRIPTION SUCH
MATERIAL TO BUREAU AND MIAMI. EXPEDITE. MIAMI AND ATLANTA
ADVISED.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : The Director

DATE: 10/17/58

FROM : A. Rosen *R*

TIME OF CALL: 3:47 P. M.

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SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 PEACHTREE STREET, N. W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 12, 1958

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Tolson _____
Boardman _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Nease _____
Parsons ☒ _____
Rosen ☒ _____
Tamm _____
Trotter _____
W.C. Sullivan _____
Tele. Room _____
Holloman _____
Gandy _____

ASAC [] Atlanta, was contacted relative to the prosecutive steps in the matter and he has now advised that since the indictment was returned the attorneys for the four defendants have petitioned the court to set a bond hearing, which was set for Wednesday, October 22, 1958. Inasmuch as this is a capital offense, the defendants are presently being held without bond. Subject [] who was not indicted, was released at 2:00 P. M. and is presently under surveillance. A state-wide broadcast has been put out for [] who was indicted today. Inasmuch as he is known to have spent time in the Alabama area, the FBI Office in Birmingham was furnished descriptive data both as to [] and his car.

The details of the indictment are not available at the moment and ASAC [] will furnish as soon as available to him.

WBW:jlp
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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Nease

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TO : Mr. Rosen

DATE: 10-18-58

FROM : [redacted] Time of Calls - 2:45 a. m. and 6:25 a. m.

SUBJECT: BOMBING OF JEWISH TEMPLE
1589 Peachtree Street, N. W.
Atlanta, Georgia, October 12, 1958

Tolson	_____
Boardman	_____
Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Nease	_____
Parsons	_____
Rosen	_____
Tamm	_____
Trotter	_____
Clayton	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Holloman	_____
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SA Dallas Mobley, Atlanta Office, called at 2:45 a. m. and advised Supervisor R. M. Murphy that the Atlanta police, with Bureau Agents assisting and observing, arrested [redacted] at 1:20 a. m. this morning at his home, [redacted], Atlanta, Georgia. [redacted] and 4 others previously in custody were indicted by local Grand Jury in connection with captioned bombing.

SA Mobley stated that [redacted] had been brought to our Atlanta Office at 2:40 a. m. where he was to be interviewed by Bureau Agents. He said efforts would be made to make a tape recording of [redacted] voice and to examine him under the polygraph. SA Mobley also said at the time of the call that Atlanta police were searching [redacted] car and his home, for which a search warrant had been obtained. He said Agents were observing these searches.

At 6:25 a. m., SA Mobley stated that efforts to interview [redacted] had proved unsuccessful. He said [redacted] made a complete denial of any participation in this matter, refused to agree to the making of a tape recording of his voice and would not agree to a polygraph examination. SA Mobley stated that [redacted] wife, who was brought to our Atlanta Office but who was not in custody, declined to furnish any information when interviewed other than to state that she was sure that her husband was home on the night of the bombing. She also refused to participate in making a tape recording of her voice and also refused to submit to a polygraph examination.

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SA Mobley stated that the searches of [redacted] home and car were likewise unproductive and nothing of an evidentiary nature was found. He stated that in [redacted] home a pawn ticket was found which had a crude sketch on the back of it. He said the sketch could be of anything but there was a slight chance that it might be a very crude drawing of a wiring diagram. He said in view of this possibility the ticket was being submitted to the Laboratory for examination.

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Memorandum for Mr. Rosen

SA Mobley stated that the subject's apprehension was effected by [redacted] He said [redacted] picture on television and confidentially advised the Atlanta Office of the whereabouts of the subject. SA Mobley stated that he has supplied the information in the strictest confidence and every effort has been exerted to protect his identity.

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